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MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE

Philadelphia, Pa.
June 7, 1943

65-1078-115

RE: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK

CUSTODIAL DETENTION (3)

FOIA(b)(7) - (D)

[redacted] whose identity is known to the Bureau, made available highly confidential information as to the personnel of the City Committee of the Communist Party as it existed about the middle of April, 1943. This committee is composed of approximately 75 members. Delegates are either regular, alternate, or appointed.

[redacted] the Communist Party was divided into sections, which followed Congressional District lines and branches within each section. In most instances the address of the delegate, his branch, section, and type were furnished.

Care should be taken to conceal the identity of this informant.

The following information was furnished concerning the above captioned individual:

Delphia Augenblick
708 S. Washington Square

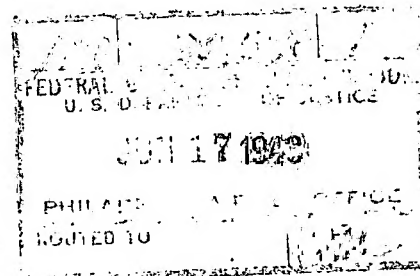
City Committee
8A - Sec. 8
Appointed Delegate

NEW CASE
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SIGN P. D.
ALTERNATE JACKET
HICKLER

Respectfully submitted,

R. W. WRIGHT

RWW:10



December 22, 1943

MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE:

Re: D. AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

FOIA(b)(7) - (D)

On December 16, 1943, [redacted] who should be referred to as a confidential informant, [redacted] furnished a financial statement filed with the Board of Elections by MARION PANCOAST, Treasurer of the Independent Voters' League.

This organization sponsored JULES C. ABERCAUPH for mayor in the Mayoralty Elections held November 2, 1943 in Philadelphia. The organization is known to have been influenced and dominated by the Communist Party.

The above-captioned individual was listed as having contributed the sum of money listed below.

Where main files exist on the contributor, a copy of this memorandum is being placed therein. If the contributor does not have a main file, his name is being indexed to file No. 100-1502, where a complete copy of the financial statement is contained.

Respectfully submitted,

RWW:AH
100-20590

RICHARD W. WRIGHT
Special Agent

9/23/43

\$10.00

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JWC

March 24, 1944

MEMORANDUM

Re: BEULAH HUTT DERRICKSON
INTERNAL SECURITY (C)

There was found in a trash cover maintained on the residence of the above-captioned individual at 2013 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, two sheets of note paper containing the first names and telephone numbers of individuals to be contacted.

On one of the sheets was a notation to call MARY D. at Ful 4911 (number listed to MARY DVORETZKY, 2202 South 6th Street); DELPH at Lom. 3571 (number listed to DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 708 South Washington Square), MIN O. at Eyo. 0509 (number listed to MINNIE ORAN, 4537 Spruce Street), IDA K. at Kin. 0439 (number listed to IDA KLINGSBERG, 1908 Ringgold Street) and RHODA at Mic. 7470 (number listed to I. W. SIMON, 1200 West Louden Street), relative to "Wednesday night". Inasmuch as Confidential Informants have advised that most Branches of this Section hold their Branch meetings on Wednesday nights, it is believed that these calls pertain to such meetings.

On the same sheet was a notation to call GERT at Pen. 6684 relative to dues. This telephone is listed in the name of GERTRUDE RECHTMAN, 1732 Spruce Street, Philadelphia.

The originals of these notes are being maintained in the exhibit envelope of instant file.

WILLIAM F. QUICK
Special Agent

WFO:HIK
100-16385

c: 100-22321 (Klingsberg)
✓ 100-20590 (Augenblick)
100-4007 (Rechtmann)

Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE

MAR 24 1944

PHILADELPHIA OFFICE

100-20590-3

MEMO

Re: *Delphia Augenblick*
Security Matter - C
100-20590 Cl

On February 12, 1945, a trash cover maintained on the residence of EVELYN BEILAN, 2728 W. Huntingdon Street, Membership Director of Section 8 (Professional Section) of the CPA, produced three lists of names captioned "MC-20," "TW-20," and "Special-23," respectively, which designations are known to represent branches, or clubs, in Section 8, the figures indicating the number of names on each list.

These lists consist of first names with initials for the surnames and in most instances a number appears adjacent to the name which is apparently the 1945 Membership card number. In some instances the dues status of the individual is given. Also appearing opposite each name is a number, consisting of one, two, or three digits, which is believed to be a key number for that name and believed to be inserted on the membership cards, in lieu of the member's name, for members of Section 8, apparently for the purpose of concealing the member's identity. In support of this belief, there was recovered at the same time a 1945 Membership Card, Number 87588, torn into several pieces, and which had been issued to "#5," this number being inserted in the space provided for the name of the member, and the club was indicated as "Section 8." The address of this member was given as Atlanta, Ga., and this is apparently why the Card was torn up.

The following information from the above lists appear to relate to the captioned individual:

Name	Key No.	Branch	1945 M'shp Card Number	Dues Status
<i>Delphia A.</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>Special</i>	<i>87597</i>	<i>Not listed</i>

On the same date there was also recovered two typewritten lists captioned "MC" and "West Phila.", respectively, bearing the full names and addresses of 44 persons together with what appears to be membership card numbers for both 1944 and 1945 for some names and only 1944 or 1945 numbers for others. Information concerning this individual is set forth below.

On list
Name and Address - 1944 Card No. - 1945 Card No. - captioned:
not on these lists.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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PHILADELPHIA FIELD OFFICE

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MEMO:

Where a master file exists on this individual, the file number is included in the caption and it is suggested that a separate jacket be opened for those on whom no master file exists.

The above material is maintained in Exhibit File of 100-29199.

JOHN B. WHITE
SPECIAL AGENT

JBW:amcd

NEW COPIES
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March 8, 1945

FOIA(b)(7) - (D)

MEMO, SAC

R.D. Wammall
SEPARATE JACKET
SET TICKLER

Re: *Delphia Augenblick*
4/13/45 Security Matter - C
100 - 20590

On February 28, 1945, the writer obtained a typed list, containing 180 names, from a trash cover maintained on the residence of EVELYN NEIFELD BEILAN, 2728 W. Huntingdon Street, through the cooperation of

[REDACTED]
BEILAN is the Membership Director of Section 8, the Professional Section of District #3, C.P.A.

The above list appears to be a complete membership list of the Professional Section and the names are numbered from 1 to 180 inclusive. The number opposite each name is apparently the number assigned to that individual for official C.P.A. record purposes in order to further conceal his identity. This conclusion is based on the following facts:

On February 12, 1945, a 1945 membership card of the C.P.A., torn into several pieces, was obtained from the same source and was observed to have the figure "#5" inserted in the space provided thereon for the name of the member. There was also obtained on this date three lists captioned "TW", "MC" and "Special", respectively, which designations are known to represent branches of Section 8, and which set forth the names and 1945 membership card numbers of 63 individuals. Each name is preceded by a number consisting of one, two or three digits, not in numerical order but in each instance less than 180. Each of these names and numbers correspond exactly with a name and number on the list obtained on February 28, 1945. Also, several pieces of scratch paper obtained on February 28, 1945 bear notations concerning dues payments, such as "#56 - \$3 - 1st quarter, #65 - \$1 - 1st quarter, #110 - \$1 - Jan.", etc. The instant list of 180 names has five names marked off and the number 175 appears in a circle at the top of the list which would indicate a total membership of 175. This figure approximates very closely to the figure 174 which, according to [REDACTED] was the total number of members in Section 8 on January 31, 1945.

Based on the above facts, it appears logical that this list is in fact the membership list of the Professional Section as it existed in February, 1945.

The following name and number appears on this list:

52 - Delphia Augenblick / 100-20590-15

A copy of this memo has been placed in the master file of each person listed, where such exists, and it is suggested that a separate jacket be opened on the above individual if no master file exists. The original list is being maintained in file #100-29199.

4/16/45
R.D. Wammall
JOHN B. WHITE
Special Agent

JBW:rhs

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

To : SAC

From : JOHN B. WHITE, Special Agent

Re : EVELYN NEIFELD BEILAN
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Date: March 19, 1945

FOIA(b)(7) - (D)

The following items were obtained on February 12, 1945, from trash cover maintained on the residence of EVELYN NEIFELD BEILAN, Membership Director of Section 8, the Professional Section, 2728 W. Huntingdon Street, Philadelphia, through the cooperation of [REDACTED]

- 1) Four DW wrappers addressed to HERMAN BEILAN, 2728 W. Huntingdon Street, Philadelphia, bearing an expiration date of April 12, 1945, followed by the letters "PM". These wrappers are not being retained as others previously obtained are already in the file.
- 2) One DW wrapper addressed to E. BEILAN bearing an expiration date of October 6, 1945, followed by the letters M-W-A.
- 3) Envelope and mimeographed letter dated January 26, 1945, from the Locust Book Shop, addressed to HERMAN BEILAN, advertising the "New Magazine of the CPA - 'Political Affairs!'" This letter further stated that BEILAN will not want to miss even one edition of this magazine because he has "shown consistent interest in a Marxist analysis of the current scenes".
- 4) 3 x 5 card bearing pencil notations: "Send BERN STAMBLER list," and "Exec. mtg. Tuesday, Feb. 20th. Grp. exec. mtg. Saturday, Feb. 17th".
- 5) Envelope postmarked 2-7-45 addressed to MRS. E. BEILAN, bearing the return address of the Philadelphia School of Social Science and Art, 1704 Walnut Street, Philadelphia.
- 6) Envelope postmarked 2-7-45 addressed to MRS. EVELYN BEILAN, bearing a return address of M. (MARGARET) ELLSWORTH, 1623 Pine Street, Philadelphia.
- 7) Part of another envelope addressed to EVELYN BEILAN, bearing a return address identical with Item 6.

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8) Piece of scratch paper, bearing the name MARGARET E. (ELLSWORTH) and a telephone number Pen. 6573. This paper also bears the notation, "Tell JANE (HODES) STEPHANO (ARESTES) paid up first quarter".

9) Penned written note, undated, addressed to "Dear THELMA (ABRAHAM)" signed by ELSIE K. (KRUPNICK), stating, "Am enclosing check for \$5.00 to cover six months or five - whichever this amount covers".

10) Handwritten note, undated, address to "Dear EVELYN (BEILAN)" signed by THELMA (ABRAHAM), stating, "I'm enclosing ELSIE's (KRUPNICK) letter and check. Please notify her about her new group and where she stands in regard to dues. Please transfer the list I gave you and have the new group call those people".

11) Typewritten note, undated, addressed to "EVE (BEILAN)(?)" signed by SID (FOX) and reading as follows: "This does not include ELSIE's (LEVITAN) group or the N groups. Please check these with ADA (FRANKEL). Make sure that no names are left in the office. Keep these lists. As soon as all the groups meet, we'll check them. Bring them with you on Wednesday with the dues status of each one marked. Salud!".

The back side of the above note contained pencilled notations concerning the following persons:

SOL and OLGA REZNEK - 87640 and 87641. Transferred to Wheeling, West Virginia.

ROSE GREEN - 80133. 18 Marietta Road, Ashville, N. C., with a note to have HARRIET (MARKS) transfer her.

The names FLORENCE COOK, 2023 Walnut Street, and BRUNO and CLAIRE ARONS, 424 Pine Street, were written immediately under the words "Spec. 4," together with a notation to call JACK DEVINE to ascertain where they should be placed. The Special 4 is known to have been a branch of the Professional Section of the Communist Party in the past.

12) Piece of scratch paper captioned, "CPA - Dues" and listing the following persons in Branch "TW" and indicating dues owed by the persons:

"FRANK STEIN - July to December
PAULINE STEIN - July to December
HARRIET MARKS - June to December
CELESTINE FULCHON - year
SOL REZNEK - July to December
OLGA REZNEK - July to December

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The following persons in Branch "MN" were listed as owing dues for the periods indicated:

HANS (MILGRAM) - June to December
SAM (DRASIN) - August to December
SYLVIA (DRASIN) - November to December
RAY (PLATT) - July to December
ISADORE (WEISS) - December
MILDRED (FEIGENBERG?) - July to December
ROSE (BARNSTEIN?) - year
MARMAND - year

Since it is indicated that all of the above persons owed dues only through December, it would appear that they were members of the Branch indicated in December 1944.

13) Part of a sheet of paper bearing headings and information as follows:

<u>Club</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Telephone</u>
Town	J. (JANE) TARIN	2013 Spruce Street	Loc. 0136
Special	D. (DELPHIA) AUGENBLICK	708 S. Washington Sq.	LOM. 3571
Science	ELAINE COHEN	5431 Angora Terrace	ALL. 6558
W. Phila.	THELMA ABRAHAM	5224 Rexford Road	GRE. 9125
N. Phila.	ELEANOR FLEET	6537 N. Uber Street	HAN. 0390
	(Pencilled in by the above name appears the name RUTH OSER)		
N-1	LIBBY BOEHM	1226 Pine Street	PEN. 9189
N-2,3	No election - use same as before until election on Feb. 8th.		

From the information in the last entry above, it appears that the above persons were recently elected to a responsible office in the clubs indicated. The "N" branches consist of Navy Yard employees.

14) Typed list of names captioned "In Town" broken down as follows:

South of Spruce

S. (SIDNEY) FOX
2220 Pine Street

~~D. (DELPHIA) AUGENBLICK~~
708 S. Washington Square

North of Spruce

LEON KOPPELMAN
528 Locust Street

BEN and JANE TARIN
2013 Spruce Street

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South of Spruce

PAULINE HOLSTEIN
2310 Pine Street

TOM DEACON
2122 Pine Street

IDA KLINGSBERG
1908 Ringgold Place - KIN. 0439

MARY DVORETSKY - FUL 4911
2202 South 6th Street

SARA DERZOWITZ - FUL 6858
370 Tree Street

WANDA RATH
RD #2, Telford, Pa.

MIRIAM GLICKMAN - LOC 4752
414 S. Van Pelt Street

SARA FRIEDENBERG
Camden, N. J.

ETHEL EPSTEIN
5745 N. Fairhill Street

HY & EVE BEILAN
2728 Huntingdon Street

CATHERINE PAPELL
317 S. Camac Street

North of Spruce

PAUL and PEARL ZARET - MAR. 3837
250 S. Hutchinson Street

LEE (LENORE) JACOBS - WAL. 5764
905 Clinton Street

BEULA DERRICKSON
262 South 21st Street

LIL NEWMAN - PEN. 0222
1419 Spruce Street

IDA KRAVITZ
3403 Cumberland Street

HELEN and MORRIS FRUMIN
221 South 17th Street

IDA SCHIEF
976 North 5th Street

PERRY ROSENBLUM & TOBY MILLER
643 N. 15th Street - POP 6770

AL KLIGMAN
2013 Mt. Vernon Street

BARBARA ROSENBERG
2000 Spruce Street

ALFRED & FLORA LISI
924 North 26th Street

The exact nature of the above list is not known, but all of the above persons are known members of Section 8 of the CPA, and it appears probable that it is a list of members of a branch designated as "In Town," it being noted that JANE TARIN was listed in Item 13 as the person to contact for a club designated as "Town".

The above articles are all being maintained in the exhibit file of File No. 100-29199.

Memo

3-19-45

Where master files exist on the persons mentioned, a copy of this memorandum has been placed therein, and other names have been indexed to this serial.

JBW/fm

100-29199

cc: 100-1502-711 (SECTION 8)

100-28701 (BEILAN

100-25229 (STAMBLER)

100-25968 (ELLSWORTH)

100-5483 (HODES

100-29465 (STEPHANO

100-22678 (ABRAHAM)

100-30104 (KRUPNICK)

100-29789 (FOX)

100-21749 (LEVITAN)

100-24496 (O. REZNEK)

100-24497 (S. REZNEK)

100-30077 (MARKS)

100-5834 (COOK)

100-25938 (B. ARONS)

100-24147 (C. ARONS)

100-9248 (STEIN)

100-22324 (FULCHON)

100-24850 (S. DRASIN)

100-25277 (SYLVIA DRASIN)

100-29405 (PLATT)

100-20590 (AUGENBLICK ✓)

100-26606 (COHEN)

100-23167 (FLEET)

100-28568 (BOEHM)

100-22278 (TARIN)

100-8473 (HOLSTEIN)

100-22321 (KLINGSBERG)

100-25802 (DERZOWITZ)

100-30070 (RATH)

100-23876 (EPSTEIN)

100-21535 (PAPELL)

100-21314 (ZARET)

100-24693 (JACOBS)

100-16885 (DERRICKSON)

100-13376 (NEWMAN)

100-24420 (KLIGMAN)

100-29774 (ROSENBERG)

100-28013 (A. LISI)

100-30067 (F. LISI)

100-20590

April 27, 1945

MEMO SAC:

Re: *Delphia Augenblick*
SECURITY MATTER - C
File #100-20590

FOIA b 7 - D

On March 31, 1945, the following items were obtained from a trash cover maintained on the residence of EVELYN BEILAN, Membership Director of the Professional Section, 2728 W. Huntingdon Street, Philadelphia, through the cooperation of [REDACTED]

1. Rough draft pencil copy of a "Weekly Scoreboard and Activity Schedule" for Section 8, the Professional Section of the CPA in Philadelphia. The clubs in this section together with the number of members in each are listed as follows: Special - 29, InTown - 46, North Phila. - 24, West Phila. - 47, N - 1 - 24, N - 3 - 21 and Out of Town - 8.
2. Also obtained at the same time were four typewritten lists captioned "Special - 29", "InTown - 46", "North Phila. - 25" and "On Roll - 8". ("On Roll" apparently refers to the club listed as "out of town" in item 1.) These figures obviously refer to the number of persons on the list for the respective branch or club. The names are all preceded by a number which is known to be the Section 8 key number for that name. The following name, number and other information apparently relates to the captioned subject.

Name, Number, Address, and Telephone Number	Membership Card Numbers	On list for club or branch.
	1944	1945
52 - <i>Delphia Augenblick</i> 708 S. Washington Sq. Lom. 3571	77288 78312	87597 <i>Special</i>

Pencilled note by above name, "Mem. Dir.", indicates subject to be membership director of the Special Branch.

Where no master file exists, it is suggested a separate jacket be opened.

JOHN B. WHITE
Special Agent

100-20590-77

JBW:hrs

To : SAC

From : JOHN B. WHITE, Special Agent

May 17, 1945

Re : EVELYN NEIFELD BEILAN
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

FOIA b. 7 - D

The following items were obtained on March 14, 1945 from a trash cover maintained on the residence of EVELYN BEILAN, Membership Director of Section 8, 2728 W. Huntingdon Street, Philadelphia, Pa., through the cooperation of [REDACTED]

- (1) Mimeograph letter dated February 22, 1945 from JOHN L. DEVINE, City Secretary of the CPA concerning the initial meeting of newly elected membership secretaries and treasurers of all city clubs at CPA Headquarters on February 27, 1945, 8:30 P.M. EVELYN BEILAN is known to be the Membership Director for Section 8, the Professional Section.
- (2) Mimeograph letter dated February 22, 1945 from FRANK CESTARE, District Secretary of the CAP concerning a meeting of newly elected club secretaries and press directors on February 26, 1945, 8:30 P.M. at CPA Headquarters. HERMAN BEILAN was formerly press director for Section 8 and now believed to be secretary.
- (3) Carbon copy of a letter dated February 17, 1945 from BUNNY WEINER of CPA Headquarters addressed to "Dear Member" and reminding the recipient of the Section 8 quota of 35 club subs by April 1, 1945. The letter has a P.S. stating "TOM JONES has 6 new club subs on hand."
- (4) Scratch pad sheet bearing ink notations headed "Club Subs" and listing the names WANDA RATH, RD 2, Telford, Pa., followed by the figure 1 and TOM JONES, 2313 Delancey, followed by the figure 1.
- (5) Typed list headed "Secretaries" and listing the following information concerning the secretaries of the various clubs in Section 8:

<u>Club</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Telephone</u>
In Town	MORRIS FRUMIN	221 S. 17th St.	KINGsley 2422
N. Phila.	SAM DRASIN	314 Glen Echo Rd.	CHEstnut 2377
Special	ADELE MARGOLIS		WAVerly 6167
N 1	LIBBY BOEHM		PEN 9189
N 2,3	Press - ROSE BORNSTEIN		
	Literature - BETTY SNYDER (Werb)		
	Education - BERNIE DAVIDSON		
W. Phila.	HARRY FRUIT		
Science	SEYMOUR COHEN		

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- (6) Undated handwritten letter from DELPHIA AUGENBLICK advising EVELYN BEILAN that AUGENBLICK's club "got 6 subs last night" and stated that the total in her club is now 11.
- (7) Daily worker press club branch record card #5258 dated December 13, 1944 bearing the name of SOPHIE ELFONT, 1619 Conlyn Street, Phila. 41, Pa.
- (8) CPA transfer card #1413 dated February 26, 1945 transferring Rev. J. L. MIMS, 2134 Tasker Street from the FRED DOUGLASS Club to the BEN FRANKLIN Club. This card is signed by RUTH D. (DEACON) and indicates MIMS' dues are paid through to first quarter of 1945. A pencilled notation on the card, "#129" indicates this to be the number assigned to MIMS on Section 8 records.
- (9) CPA 1944 Membership card #79288 bearing the name of B. D. ANTON, (BEN), and bearing dues stamps at \$1.00 each from August through December.
- (10) Scratch pad sheet bearing notations as follows:
"Register IRVING SOLOMON, age 34, occupation - Advertising Agent, Jewish, time in association - 4 years, mass org. work, School of Social Science, club sub - has it delivered at office, has never paid dues before - just contributed to office - will pay quarterly next meeting."

The reverse side of above sheet bears notations as follows:

"DAVID GRUBB - Writer - got articles in 4 mag. recently. DEVINE (JACK) knows him. He is dissatisfied in club - should be put in West Philadelphia Club."

- (11) Scratch pad sheet bearing pencilled notations as follows:

"DELPHIA (AUGENBLICK) - 52 - \$3.00
COURT (EYER) - 150 - \$3.00
ESTHER (EYER) - 151 - \$1.00
ADELE (MARGOLIS) - 22 - \$3.00
ELIZABETH (FRAZIER) - 147 - \$3.00
BERYL (NEWMAN) - 148 - \$3.00
GENIEVE (FOX) - 142 - \$2.25
CATHERINE (PAPELL) - 156 - \$3.00
TOM (JONES) - 154 - \$1.00
IRVING (SOLOMON) - 124 - \$3.00
MARJORIE (GALTON) - 149 - \$3.00
MAX (SPINDEL) - 157 - \$1.00
JANE (RICHTER) - 153 - \$3.00
SARA (WALSH) - 143 - \$3.00
ALLAN (FREELON) - 144 - \$3.00

MEMO

May 17, 1945

The above numbers appearing between the name and the amount are the numbers assigned to the above persons for Section 8 record purposes all of which agree with the numbers appearing opposite the above names on the Section 8 Membership list.

Copies of the above memorandum have been placed in the master files of all the persons mentioned herein. No master file exists on the name DAVID GRUBB. This name has been indexed.

JEW:as
100-29199

cc: 100-1502-711 (Section 8)	100-30072 (RICHTER)
100-28701 (H. BEILAN)	100-4079 (WALSH)
100-27896 (ANTON)	100-24001 (FREELON)
100-30107 (SOLOMON)	100-28667 (ELFONT)
✓ 100-20590 (D. AUGENBLICK)	100-30123 (M. FRUMIN)
100-28206 (EYER)	100-24850 (S. DRASIN)
100-25344 (A. MARGOLIS)	100-28568 (BOEHM)
100-6087 (FRAZIER)	100-30126 (BORNSTEIN)
100-30086 (NEWMAN)	100-21094 (WERB)
100-4965 (G. FOX)	100-4641 (B. DAVIDSON)
100-21535 (PAPELL)	100-30078 (H. FRUIT)
100-24811 (T. JONES)	100-30070 (RATH)
100-30060 (GAMMON)	100-30335 (MIMS)
100-21905 (SPINDEL)	100-26607 (S. COHEN)

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May 19, 1945

SA JOHN B. WHITE

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INTERNAL SECURITY - C

The following items were obtained on April 26, 1945 from a trash cover maintained on the residence of the subject, 322 S. 16th Street, Philadelphia, through the cooperation of [redacted]

1. Typewritten note dated April 16th addressed to subject from GENIEVE R. FOX, inviting her to "our next get-together" at 8:30 p.m., April 24, 1945 to be held at 2220 Pine Street, Philadelphia, which is the residence of GENIEVE and SIDNEY FOX. SIDNEY FOX is President of the Professional Section of the Communist Political Association and his wife GENIEVE is a known member of this group.
2. Undated handwritten note, addressed to subject from DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 708 S. Washington Square, Philadelphia, who is a known member of the Professional Section of the Communist Political Association. The note is quoted as follows:

"Evelyn (Beilan) inquired at the office and the records there show you and SAM (Blitzstein) paid for first quarter only. Can you give me any information as to the person who received your year's dues so that we can follow it up and clear you both properly? Yours, DELPHIA".

The above material is being retained in file #100-17385. Copies of this memorandum have been placed in the master file of each individual mentioned.

JBW:EG

100-17385

cc: 100-3475 (S. BLITZSTEIN)
100-4965 (S. FOX)
100-29789 (S. FOX)
100-29199 (E. BEILAN)
100-20590 (D. AUGENBLICK)

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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PHILADELPHIA FIELD OFFICE

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

FROM : W. RAYMOND WANNALL, Special Agent

SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

DATE: May 21, 1945

A review of the referenced material in the Philadelphia Office on the above-captioned subject reflects the following information:

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK was on the official mailing list of the TOM PAINE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCE. She paid for two subscriptions to the "DAILY WORKER" in June of 1943 and signed a petition sponsored by the Unit For Victory Council which called upon the PTC to employ negroes as conductors, motormen and in any and every capacity in its organization. FOIA b 7 - D

Information furnished by [] on March 18, 1945 indicated that she was Membership Director of one of the branches of Section 8, The Professional Section of the CPA, Philadelphia.

[] advised that she was contacted by one, MARY in May of 1944 who stated that she wanted to see subject about the Teachers' Union.

Information from [] indicates that she has worked at the Locust Book Shop or done work for people connected with this organization upon various occasions.

In view of the instructions in Bureau letter of April 18, 1945, concerning the handling of cases involving members of the CPA of Philadelphia, it is suggested that this case be closed administratively.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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SEE TO

March 5, 1945

MEMO FOR FILE 100-20590

Re: D. Augenblick

On April 26, 1944, the New York Field Division transmitted by letter to this office photographic copies of the names and addresses of subscribers to "The Worker" who reside within the territory covered by this Field Division.

The material was obtained from a highly confidential source of information known only to the New York Office.

The captioned individual was referred to in this material, as follows:

D. Augenblick

708 S. Washington

Phila., Pa.

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The above mentioned photographic material is being retained in the 1-A exhibit envelope of file 100-4842.

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May 17, 1945

To : SAC

From : JOHN B. WHITE, Special Agent

Re : EVELYN NEIFELD BEILAN
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

FOIA b 7 - D

The following items were obtained on March 31, 1945 from a trash cover maintained on the residence of EVELYN BEILAN, Membership Director of Section 8, 2728 W. Huntingdon Street, Philadelphia, through the cooperation of [redacted]

(1) Club copy of CPA transfer card #1005 dated March 12, transferring Rev. J. L. MIMS, 2134 Tasker Street from the FRED DOUGLASS Club to the BEN FRANKLIN Club. The card is signed by ADA (FRANKEL) and reflects that MIMS' dues are paid through March, 1945. His 1945 membership card number is shown as 87302.

(2) Piece of scratch paper captioned "Sunday Worker" listing the following names and amounts:

DELPHIA A. (AUGENBLICK)	708 S. Washington Square	-	\$.75
MARJORIE G. (GANNON)	217 S. 20th Street	-	.75
CATHERINE PAPELL	317 S. Camac Street	-	.75
WANDA R. (RATH)	RD 2, Telford, Pa.	-	.75

(3) Piece of scratch paper bearing following notations:

"LEON - \$3.00 - 1 quarter - 54" (LEON KOPPELMAN)
 "IDA K. - \$2.00 - Jan. & Feb. - 59" (IDA KLINGSBERG)
 "ETHEL L. - \$3.00 - 1 quarter - 119" (ETHEL LYKUS)
 "Dr. M. - \$3.00 - 1 quarter - 120" (Dr. AL MELNICOFF)
 "Mrs. M. - \$3.00 - 1 quarter - 121" (Mrs. E. MELNICOFF)
 "MARY G. - \$6.00 - 16 mos. - 63" (MARY GROSSMAN)

(4) Sheet of 8 x 10 paper bearing notations appearing to be list of nominations for Section 8 officers. Names not marked out appear to be the persons elected to the office indicated and they are as follows:

President	-	SID (FOX)
Secretary	-	HY (HERMAN BEILAN)
Membership	-	EVIE (EVELYN BEILAN)
Finance	-	MEYER (HALL)
Press	-	BERNIE B. (BATT)
Education	-	ABE B. (BASHKOFF)
Literature	-	SOPHIE (ELFONT)
Labor	-	SARA (WALSH)
(Committee?)	-	BERNIE (COHAN)
		NATE S. (NATHAN SHRAGER)
		AL KATZ

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Cultural - SID (FOX)
(Committee?) NAT M. (MARGOLIS)
ALICE D. (DUNHAM)
ALLAN F. (FREELON)

Copies of this memorandum have been placed in the master file of each person mentioned.

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*Maurice: 100-28703**
*Maurice L: 100-26906**

cc: 100-1502-711 (Section 8)
100-30070 (RATH)
100-20590 ~~100-30054~~ (AUGENBLICK) ✓
100-30060 (GAMMON)
100-21535 (PAPELL)
100-30153 (KOPPELMAN)
100-23221 (KLINGSBERG)
100-8535 (GROSSMAN)
100-24747 (LYMUS)
100-30128 (E. MELINCOFF)
100-30129 (A. MELINCOFF)
100-29789 (S. FOX)
100-28701 (H. BEILAN)
100-20693 (M. HALL)
100-26259 (BATT)
100-27335 (BASHKOFF)
100-28667 (ELFONT)
100-4079 (WALSH)
100-17064 (COHAN)
100-30084 (N. SHREAGER)
100-93 (KATZ)
100-30143 (N. MARGOLIS)
100-22729 (A. DUNHAM)
100-24001 (FREELON)
100-30335 (MILIS)

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June 28, 1945

SA JOHN B. WHITE

EVELYN NEIFELD BEILAN
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

FOIA b 7 - D

The following items were obtained on June 15, 1945 by Special Agent PATRICK M. RICE from a trash cover maintained on the residence of EVELYN BEILAN, 2728 W. Huntingdon Street, Membership Director of the Professional Section, through the cooperation of [REDACTED]

1. Mimeographed flyer announcing a program of Soviet musical recordings with commentary by SIDNEY FOX to be held at the Philadelphia School of Social Science, 1704 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, at 8:30 p.m., Saturday, June 16, 1945. A handwritten notation on this flyer to EVELYN and HERMAN BEILAN stated that "our club is running this little affair" and notation was signed by MILDRED DIAMOND.
2. Sheet of scratch paper bearing notations as to dues payments by persons in the Professional Section as follows:

#195	-	\$3.00	-	2nd 1/4
#201	-	1.00	-	May
#205	-	1.00	-	May
#206	-	1.00	-	2nd 1/4
#210	-	3.00	-	2nd 1/4
#207	-	2.00	-	April and May
#222	-	1.00	-	Feb.
#228	-	3.00	-	2nd 1/4
#230	-	3.00	-	2nd 1/4
#231	-	1.00	-	2nd 1/4
Lloyd	-	1.00	-	May
#229	-	2.00	-	April and May
#237	-	3.00	-	2nd 1/4
#238	-	3.00	-	2nd 1/4
#246	-	3.00	-	2nd 1/4

The holders of the above numbers in the Professional Section are not known at present but are being set forth on the possibility that they will be identified at some future date.

3. Mimeographed form for dues payment showing a Mrs. ANTON (wife of BEN ?) as having paid \$1.00 dues for April May and June, signed by JOSEPHINE JONES as financial director.

The reverse side of the above form lists the following names as having "paid " for the "D.W." (Daily Worker):

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WANDA (RATH)
DELPHIA (AUGENBLICK)
BERYL (NEWMAN)
MARJORIE (GAMMON)
THOMAS (last name unknown)
ELIZABETH (FRAZIER)

The following were listed as having paid for the "S.W." (Sunday Worker):

WANDA (RATH)
DELPHIA (AUGENBLICK)
MARJORIE (GAMMON)
CATHERINE (PAPELL)

4. Scratch pad sheet bearing notation "D.W. Sub - WALTER KIRSCHNER - \$1.50 - 228 W. Gorgas Lane".
5. Scratch pad sheet bearing notation "W. PHILA. - D.W. Sub - \$1.50 - BILL SOLER - 5115 Lebanon Avenue."

Copies of this memorandum have been designated for master files on all persons mentioned where such exists and other names have been indexed.

JBW:EG

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cc: 100-1502-711 (PROFESSIONAL SECTION)
100-29789 (FOX)
65-1078 (P.S.S.S.)
100-28701 (H. BEILAN)
100-27896 (ANTON)
100-24811 (JONES)
100-30070 (RATH)
100-20590 (D. AUGENBLICK)
100-30086 (NEWMAN)
100-30060 (GAMMON)
100-6087 (FRAZIER)
100-21535 (PAPELL)
100-30141 (KIRSCHNER)
100-23967 (W. SOLER)

July 21, 1945

MEMO, SAC

RE: EVELYN NEIFELD BEILAN
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

FOIA b 7 - D

The following items were obtained on July 13, 1945 from a trash cover maintained on the residence of the Subject, 2728 West Huntingdon Street, Philadelphia, through the cooperation of [REDACTED]

1. Envelope postmarked July 6, 1945, addressed to Subject bearing return address Room 710, 250 South Broad St., Philadelphia, the address of CPA headquarters.
2. Envelope bearing postmark of July 10, 1945 and return address identical with #1.
3. Envelope postmarked June 22, 1945, bearing return address of 250 South Hutchinson St., which is the home of PEARL and PAUL ZARET.
4. The envelope was addressed to BEN TARIN, who is a member of the Professional Section of the CPA.
5. Envelope postmarked June 12, 1945, bearing return address of ARON, 424 Pine St., which is the address of CLAIRE and BRUNO ARON, both of whom are known members of the CPA. The envelope was addressed to Mrs. JANE TARIN.
6. Envelope postmarked June 29, 1945, bearing return address of 628 Stetson Road, Elkins Park, Pa., which is the address of RUTH OSER, a known member of the CPA.
7. An envelope postmarked July 6, 1945, bearing return of J. M. JONES, 2313 Delancey Place, which is the address of JOSEPHINE JONES, a known member of the CPA.
8. An envelope postmarked July 7, 1945, bearing return address of 2220 Pine Street, Philadelphia, which is the address of SIDNEY FOX, President of the Professional Section of the CPA.
9. Typewritten letter dated June 27, 1945 to Subject from HARRY LEVITAN enclosing checks in the amount of \$38.00 to apply on the "fund drive".

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10. Letter dated June 12, 1945, to EVELYN BEILAN from HARRY LEVITAN, enclosing a check in the sum of \$25.00 "on account of our quota in the drive". The letter further states that according to LEVITAN's records, this makes a total of \$128.00 which his group has paid in on the fund drive.

11. Handwritten note signed by *Adeline?* THELMA (AUGENBLICK), addressed to Subject stating that she has no numbers for SHIRLEY N. (NORTHRUP), IRVING K., BORIS (TUCHINSKY), and OSCAR (KATZ).

The note further states that PAULINE STEIN, #264, has been reinstated, having paid dues from January. The numbers referred to above are the numbers assigned to the members of Section 8 for record purposes in order to further conceal their identity.

12. A sheet of scratch pad paper bearing pencilled notations concerning dues payments. The following names appear under the heading "in town", which is the name of a club in the Professional Section:

NORMAN (LAVET) -- 50¢
Rev. (J. L.) MIMS -- 50¢
IRENE R. -- 50¢
JAMES R. -- 50¢
L. (LOUIS) SUGARMAN -- 50¢

This same sheet of paper, under the heading "H.R." which represents the HERMAN ROSENBLOOM Club of the Professional Section, bears a notation in the amount of 50¢ by MALVINA TAIZ. The H.R. Club is believed to be the new name of the North Philadelphia Club of the Professional Section.

13. A sheet of scratch paper bearing notations concerning dues payments listing the following names and amounts under the heading "In Town":

SARA KAPLAN -- 50¢ -- April
NORMAN LAVET -- \$1.00 -- (Apr. and May) plus 50¢ to office - March
REA FRANK -- \$1.00 -- April and May
REV. MIMS -- 50¢ (May)

Under the caption "Special" appears the name DAVIS G. (GRUBB) -- \$1.50 (March-May); CATHERINE P. (PAPELL) -- \$2.00 (May).

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July 21, 1945

The reverse side of this scratch pad sheet was captioned "Club Sub money", listing the following names:

SARA KAPLAN, NORMAN LAVET, BEN FRANK, LIBBI (BOEHEN), CATHERINE I PELL, WANDA RATH, DAVIS GRUBB, HELEN PHILLIPS.

The above items are being maintained in the 1-A Serial of File 100-29199, and copies of this memorandum have been placed in the office of all persons mentioned.

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cc: 100-29789 (FOX)	100-21535 (PAPELL)
100-24811 (JONES)	100-29070 (LAVET)
100-30252 (OSER)	100-28568 (BOEHEN)
100-24147 (C. ARON)	100-23952 (FRANK)
100-25938 (B. ARON)	100-30335 (MIMS)
100-21314 (ZARET)	100-5109 (SUGERMAN)
100-4053 (LEVITAN)	100-21325 (KAPLAN)
100-30108 (STEIN)	100- (MALVINA TRIZ)
100-26923 (PHILLIPS)	
100-30384 (KATZ)	
100-30392 (TUCHINSKY)	
100-15906 (NORTHROP)	
100-30393 (GRUBB)	
100-30070 (RATH)	
✓ 100-20590 (AUGENBLIC K)	

REQUEST FOR CREDIT INFORMATIONRoute to Agent Dooley Requested by Agent DooleyDate 25 September 1945File # 100-20590

Check Records Of:

Subject's name DELPHIA AUGENBLICK

Aliases _____ Age _____

Present residence 708 S. Washington St. Phila.

Former residence _____

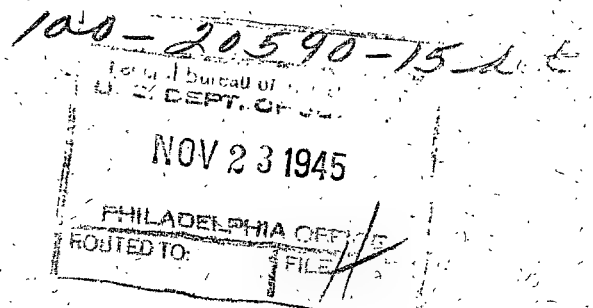
Occupation _____

Business address _____

Name of spouse _____

Specific information desired _____

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

DATE: November 27, 1945

FROM : SA JOHN W. DOOLEY

SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

Mr. CRESHAM O'MALLEY of the Philadelphia Board of Education, has advised the writer that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 708 South Washington Square, Philadelphia, is a teacher at the Hartranft School.

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November 29, 1945

Re: LOCUST BOOK SHOP
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

FOIA b-7 - D

On September 6, 1945, [redacted] whose identity is known to the Bureau,

[redacted] advised Special Agent JOSEPH M. ADAMS that there were frequently a few petitions lying around the BOOK SHOP which customers who came in to make purchases were requested to sign. [redacted] he secured the following names and addresses of some of the signers of these petitions which were circulated for the purposes indicated. This office has master files on those before whose names an asterisk (*) appears, and a copy of this memorandum is being placed in the file of each of those individuals. It is suggested that the names of other signers be indexed to this file and serial number.

PETITION RE DEMOCRATIC GREECE

* ALBERT SILVERMAN, M & Bristol, Philadelphia	100-21600
GOLDIE KEYSER, 304 S. 23rd, Philadelphia	
* SHIRLEY NORTROP, 1812 Pine, Philadelphia	100-15906
* GEO. L. BROWN, 409 Greenwich Ave., Paulsboro, N.J.	100-12450
* JOS. S. LEVINGER, Bridge Ave., Berwyn, Pa.	100-30312
* FRANK BRADLEY, 1924 Arch, Phila.	100-30781
* JANE JANIS, 324 S. Camac St., Philadelphia	100-31068
* DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 903 Clinton, Philadelphia	100-20590 ✓
* JULES SPLAVER, 1725 N. 33rd, Philadelphia	100-6054
* BENJAMIN THOMAS, 702 Oak Lane, Philadelphia	100-5342
* ERIC VANDER WATER, 3725 Stardust Lane, Philadelphia	100-30514
* GERTRUDE COPPERMAN, 5836 N. 15th, Philadelphia	100-27097
HENRY BUTLER, 411 S. 9th, Philadelphia	
* S. DUDNIK, 7382 Rugby St., Philadelphia	100-31044
* LUIS H. DEVINE, 2120 N. 58th St., Phila.	100-22860
* M. DANIELIDES, 300 10th, Phila.	100-28340
* LILLIAN KRELOVE, 2629 N. 31st, Phila.	100-28859
* B. MOENSON, 5600 Lebanon, Phila.	100-16406
* L. BALABON, 5921 Larchwood Ave., Phila.	100-28266
JOHN MASTROPOULOS, SS Helene Kulucundie, P.98, P.A.	
LEONARD MASTROPOULOS, 501 W. 176th St., NYC	
* WILLIAM MOODY, 611 Fox Bldg., Phila.	100-29773

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SPECIAL SESSION STATE LEGISLATURE PETITION:

* MRS. ESTHER G. EYER, 126 S. Van Pelt, Phila. (could be wife of the EYER who was in charge of the school)	100-28206
* SAMUEL BENJAMIN, 1227 N. Hutchinson St., Phila. (cutter)	100-6084
* D. RUBIN, 4827 N. Mervin, Phila. (secretary)	100-20851
* L. L. SUGERMAN, 1819 Spence St., Phila. (dentist)	100-5109
* ALICE AUBIN, 6362 Montgomery, Phila.; (bookkeeper)	
* JUDY STONE, 5230 N. 9th, Phila., (clerk)	100-21289
* S.J. ETLIN, 4617 N. 11th, Phila. (Bessie Etlin, same addr.)	100-23312
* DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 903 Clinton, Phila.	100-20590
* JULES SPLAVEY, 1725 N. 33rd, Phila.	
* ERIC VANDER WATER, 8725 Stardust, Phila.	100-30514
* GERTRUDE COPPERMAN, 5838 N. 15th, (technician)	100-27697
* HENRY BUTLER, 411 S. 9th, Phila. (machinist)	
* S. DUDNIK, 7382 Rugby, Phila. (student)	100-31044
* LILLIAN KORELOVE, 2629 W. 31st, Phila.	100-28859
* JOSEPH S. LEVINGER, S. Bridge, Berwyn, Pa.	100-30312

JOSEPH S. LEVINGER
SPEC. AGENT

JMA:LBH
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MEMO: TO SAC

October 1, 1946

FROM: JOHN W. DOOLEY

RE: SIDNEY FOX, WAS.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

The following list of names was obtained through a trash cover on the home of SIDNEY FOX, 2220 Pine Street, Philadelphia, Pa. SIDNEY FOX is the Organizer of the Professional Section of the Communist Party, Philadelphia. The names are set out in a book entitled, "Class Record" and on the covering of the book appear the initials "S. P." which was the name of a branch in the Professional Section, about a year ago. The list is not up to date. The names appearing in parenthesis were added by the writer. In some instances the letters TU appear after the name. It is thought that this refers to Teachers Union. Where this is the case, an asterisk has been added to the name on the list below:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Tel. No.</u>
(GENIEVE) FOX*	Pres.	2220 Pine St.	
(ADELE) MARGOLIS*	Sect'y.	840 Asbury Terrace	Wav. 6167
(DELPHIA) LUGENELICK*	Mem. Dir.	708 S. Washington Sq.	
JOSEPHINE JONES	Fin. Sec.	2313 Delancey	
(SARA) WALSH*	Lit. Dir.	2220 Pine	
(WANDA) RATH*		R.D. 2, Telford, Pa.	
(BEN) ANTON*		4336 Pine	
(ALLAN) FREELON*		2220 Catherine	
(BARROWS) DUNHAM		127 Bentley, Cynwyd	
(ALICE) DUNHAM		127 Bentley, Cynwyd	
(ELIZABETH) FRAZIER		8024 Roanoke St.	
(BERYL) NEWMAN		7025 Walker	
(MARJORIE) GANNON		217 S. 20th	
(CORTLAND) EYER		126 S. Van Pelt	
(ESTHER) EYER		" " " "	
(ADELINE) BLITZSTEIN		322 S. 16th	
(JANE) RICHTER		4618 Pine	
(SID) BERG			
(TOM) JONES		2313 Dolan(coy)	
(CATHERINE) PAPPELL		317 S. Ca----	
(ILIX) SPINDLE		1329 W. Ro----	
(FLORENCE) COOK		2023 Wal(nut)	
(IRVING) SOLOMON			
(HELEN) PHILIPS			
(BRUNO) ARON			
(DAVIS) GRUBB			

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This list can be found in Philadelphia file #100-29789.

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cc's:-

100-2965 (GENEVE FOX)
100-25344 (ADELE MARGOLIS)
100-20590 (DELPHIA EUGENBLICK) ✓
100-24811 (JOSEPHINE JONES)
100-4079 (SAR. WALSH)
100-30070 (WANDA RATH)
100-27896 (BEN ANTON)
100-24001 (ALLAN FREELON)
100-16499 (BARROWS DUNHAM)
100-22729 (ALICE DUNHAM)
100-6087 (ELIZABETH FRAZIER)
100-30086 (BERYL NEWMAN)
100-30060 (MARGORIE GAYMON)
100-28206 (CORTLAND EYER)
100-28206 (ESTHER EYER)
100-17385 (MADELINE BLITZSTEIN)
100-30072 (JANE RICHTER)
100-30087 (SID BERG)
100-24811 (TON JONES)
100-21535 (CATHERINE PAPELL)
100-21905 (MAX SPINDLE)
100-5834 (FLORENCE COCK)
100-30107 (IRVING SOLOMON)
100-26923 (HELEN PHILLIPS)
100-25938 (BRUNO LERON)
100-30393 (DAVIS CRUBB)
100-1502-711 (Section 11)
100-31576 (UPMA)

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: SAC

DATE: March 10, 1947

FROM: SE WALTER J. SEARLE, JR.

SUBJECT: AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR SPANISH FREEDOM
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

FOIA(b)(7) - (D)

On February 18, 1947 Special Agent WILLIAM B. WELTE, JR. recovered the following items by means of a trash cover maintained on the office of the AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR SPANISH FREEDOM, Room 409, Crozer Building, 1420 Chestnut Street, through the cooperation of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

1. Post card dated February 5, 1947 addressed to MR. N. EGNAL, 3300 Shelmire Street, Philadelphia 36, Pa. reading as follows:

"Dear Mr. Egnal:

Recently we sent you two tickets to an affair that we held on January 29, 1947. As you were not able to come, we would appreciate your returning the tickets to us so that we will not have to pay the tax on them.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR SPANISH
FREEDOM
Room 409, 1420 Chestnut Street
Philadelphia 2, Pa."

2. Letter on the stationery of N. L. EGNAL dated February 14, 1947 addressed to the AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR SPANISH FREEDOM entitled, "Dear Sir" quoted, "Please accept this check as a contribution. Very truly yours, N. L. EGNAL." This item will be placed in the 1-A serial of file 100-31372.

3. List of names and notations which are set out as follows:

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"ABE KERSHBLUM

Has not paid

3/21 - \$50

Lo 3-8275

HARRY LASKIN

Not paid

3/21 - \$200

Ge 8-9246

Call MC CABE

DR. LONGAKER

3/21 - \$100

12/14 - \$25

Tr 7-0617

SIM LYP SHITZ

3/30 - \$50

Lo 3-4460

MC CABE

3/20 - \$50

LOUIS MAXIMOM

Send personal letter - will send
not coming

Sh 7-7173 (home)

Wa 2-4845 (office)

LEO POSEL

3/21 - \$50

12/19 - \$10

Gr 3-7923

JACOB RICHMAN

has not paid

10/4 - \$25

Lo 7-0768 (office)

Fe 5-4040

MRS. WICHTEL

3/20 - \$25

Melrose 4-854-8

Memo, SAC

March 10, 1947

"ALBERT M. BERSHAD

10/16 - \$25

Has 2 tickets - not paid

Ha 4-4179

LEO DUSHOFF

3/21 - \$15

Has 2 tickets - not paid

Wa 4-1373

NATHAN EDELSTEIN

10/7 - \$25

Has 2 - not paid

BEN FIREMAN

3/21 - \$25

Has 2 - not paid

Tr 7-2655

LEE GELTMAN

Has 2 - not paid

3/21 - \$25

Lc 7-3874

Pe 5-7541

HCR MIL MFG. CO.

10/8 - \$50

JOSEPH KERR

10/9 - \$75

Has 2 - not paid

Ri 6-2780

SAM KAUFMAN

10/16 - \$25

Has 2 - not paid

Lo 3-8134

BEN WILKS

10/5 - \$25

Has 2 - not paid

ERNESTO ZORRILLA"

Memo, SAC

March 10, 1947

4. Two lists of names entitled "Work" and "Volunteers" set out as follows:

"WORK"

ROSE BERSHAD
FRANCIS BILLET - Croyden
BULA BOSTNER - Parkside Ave.
ROSE BRADLOW, 2423 North 30th Street
MILTON BRODSKY, McCallum St.
ALICE CARLIN (MRS. ROBERT) 323 S. 16th Street
MRS. RICHARD CHODOFF
CLEMENTINE CHRISAFIDES
MISS MATILDA CONDOX, 39 N. St. Bernard Street
PAULINE DAIN - has store 5th and Pine Streets
ANNE FINK, 5699 Ogontz Ave. Li 9-1822
Sell tickets
DR. ARON FINKLEMAN, Central Medical Bldg.,
1737 Chestnut Street - ask for
donation - send tickets
SHELLEY FORMAN
ROSE FRIED - Westbury - check to see if I called
BILL FREELICH
RAE GALLIN, 2302 Delancey St. Lo 7-0588
L. L. GOODMAN - tickets
REBECCA GUTH, MI 4-5726"

"VOLUNTEERS"

C. ANDERSON
MRS. SAMUEL (ASHURST) did work for Russian Relief
✓ DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SYLVIA BARLIN
TOM JONES - sisters
JEAN BELLOW - MRS. LOUIS
SYDNEY BERG, 400 S. 49th St. Al 4-7853
TREAS. S. BERGNER, 924 Walnut St.
HANNA BEHNHEIMER - MR. LEO G."

Where a master file exists, a copy of this memorandum will be placed therein. Otherwise, the names will be indexed.

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100-31372

Memo, SAC

March 10, 1947

cc: 100-4252 LOUIS F. MC CABE
100-4037 HARRY A. LEVITAN
100-19904 DORIS MARSHALL
100-23947 BETTY WHITEMAN
100-23168 DANIEL LONGAKER
100-20866 BEN FIREMAN
100-32153 JOSEPH KARR
100-23217 PHIL KLEIN
100-32051 MILTON BRODSKY
100-32055 RICHARD CHODOFF
100-19470 CORNELIA ANDERSON
100-1609 TOM JONES
100-30087 SYDNEY BERG
100-28692 LEO GOODMAN
100-17178 REBECCA GUTH
100-23102 ABE KIRSCHBAUM
100-22965 L. L. GOODMAN
65-170 SAMUEL LIPSCHUTZ
100-31225 SYLVIA BAFLIN
100-20590 DELPHIA JUGENBLICK ✓
100-32907 HANNA BERNHEIMER

- OFFICE MEMORANDUM -

TO: SAC

FROM: VINCENT J. MCINTYRE, Special Employee

SUBJECT: AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR SPANISH FREEDOM
INTERNAL SECURITY - C (FOIA b (7) - (D))

DATE: 5-21-47

On January 23, 1947, Special Agent JOHN W. DOOLEY obtained the following items through the courtesy of [redacted] by means of a trash cover on the offices of the AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR SPANISH FREEDOM, 409 Crozer Building.

Copies of this memorandum are being placed in the files where masters exist and where not, the names are being indexed to this serial.

1. Portions of index cards containing names and addresses on which master files exist:

Miss THELMA W. ABRAHAM, 5220 Rexford Rd.
WILLIAM ABRAMS, Spruce Hotel, 13th and Spruce Streets
NORMAN ADLER, 28 North Felton Street
A. ALEXEEV, 5010 North 5th Street
C. M. ANDERSON, 1505 Race Street
GEORGE ARDELEAN, 5848 North 4th Street
Miss DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 903 Clinton Street
MAURICE BACHRACH, 1700 Pine Street
Miss SYLVIA BAEN, 3862 Wyalusing Avenue
HANNAH BERNHEIMER, 6359 Greene Street, GE 8-3158
MRS. ELAINE COHEN, 1823 Pine Street
DR. DAVID J. COHEN, 1823 Pine Street
Mr. COURTLAND EYER, 124 South Van Pelt Street
Miss ELIZABETH FRAZIER, 202 South 19th Street

2. Portions of index cards containing names and addresses on which no master files exist. These are being indexed to this serial:

Miss GERTRUDE ABBOTT, 400 South 15th Street
STELLA H. ABREME, Town House, 19th and Spruce Streets
Mr. S. O. ACKER, 4130 Parkside Avenue
Miss DOROTHY ACKERMAN, 2049 North Franklin Street
DR. ALBERT ADELMAN, 829 Chestnut Street
Miss ESTHER AGENSKY, The Westbury, 15th and Spruce Streets

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MRS. ESTHER ALTSHULER, 2284 North 52nd Street
 VICTOR ANDERSON, 4322 Lancaster Avenue
 MRS. HETTIE APSTEIN, 5939 Carpenter Street
 ISAAC ASH, 528 Westview Avenue
 Mr. DAVID AUERBACH, Moore and Moyamensing Avenue
 Dr. and Mrs. I. AUERBACH, 1646 North 29th Street
 AUERBACH, MARVIN, 5713 Malvern Avenue
 LOUIS BAER, 1215 Spruce Street
 HARRY CAINE, 2041 Walnut Street
 R. CHANDLER, 421 South 8th Street
 MARIE FINKELSTEIN (M.D.), 4740 Pine Street
 SAMUEL H. FRATKIN, 7141 Lincoln Drive
 HARRIS SANDERS, 2010 North Marshall Street

3. An envelope with the return address 6419 Morris Park Road, Philadelphia 31, Pennsylvania addressed to the AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR SPANISH FREEDOM. This is the home address of SAM and EMMA DARCY. The enclosure was a letter on the stationery of the AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR SPANISH FREEDOM, dated January 13, 1947, and signed by JANET HALLARD LEWIS, Executive Secretary. This letter enclosed two tickets to the "Rally for a Free Spain" being held on January 29, 1947 and requested the DARCYS to attend. A notation on this letter indicates that the DARCYS enclosed a check for \$1.30 for Ticket Nos. 504 and 505.
4. An envelope with the return address S. R. SU, 3404 Hamilton Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, addressed to the AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR SPANISH FREEDOM.

The above items are not being retained.

VJM:LEH
 100-31372

Copies:

100-19470 (CORNELIA M. ANDERSON)	100-6807 (ELIZABETH FRAZIER)
100-28206 (COURTLAND EYER)	100-26606 (MRS. ELAINE COHEN)
100-18793 (DAVID J. COHEN)	100-32907 (HANNAH BERNHEIMER)
100-22678 (THELMA W. ABRAHAM)	100-1116 (MAURICE BACHRACH)
100-20590 (DELPHIA AUGENBLICK)	100-31022 (JANET HALLARD LEWIS)
100-4052 (LOUIS F. McCABE)	100-29146 (A. D. CAESAR)
100-19483 (EMMA DARCY)	100-1933 (SAM DARCY)
100-23591 (SONYA SU)	100-19183 (DR. FRANK KAI-MING SU)
100-30438 (GEORGE ARDELEAN)	100-32568 (SYLVIA BAEN)
100-22679 (WILLIAM ABRAMS)	100-32922 (NORMAN ADLER)
100-29111 (A. ALEXEEV)	

December 31, 1947

TO: SAC
FROM: JAMES P. CREED, SE
RE: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

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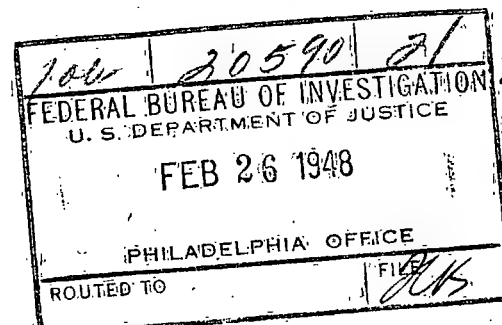
On October 30, 1947 Confidential Informant [redacted] furnished Special Agents FRED C. BIRKBY and BERNARD J. CONNELL and Special Employees MARTIN E. COX and RAYMOND J. BOTT, of this office, with a list of persons receiving mail from the Philadelphia Council of American Soviet Friendship. The original lists are being maintained as serial 433 of file No. 100-5473.

The following name and address appeared on this list:

MISS DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
903 CLINTON ST
PHILA PA

It is believed that this list constituted the mailing list of the FCASF.

JFC:EMC
100-20590



TO: SAC

FROM: Special Employee JOHN T. DAVIS

SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER-C

(13W)

Date: March 2, 1948

FOIA(b)(7) - (D)

On June 27, 1947 through the cooperation of [redacted]

[redacted] Special Employee JOHN W. SHIELDS received an address book from a trash cover maintained on the residence of SIDNEY FOX, 2220 Pine St., Philadelphia.

This address book is believed to be in the handwriting of SIDNEY FOX, who until October 6, 1946 was Organizer of Section 11 (Professional Section) District 3, CP, USA. Among the names appearing in this book are active members of the Professional Section.

SIDNEY FOX, a music teacher in the Philadelphia Schools for over 20 years is also active in the Teachers Union, Local #556, United Public Workers of America, CIO, and although not an active member, he at one time wielded great influence in this Union. (Local 556, United Public Workers of America, CIO, was formerly Local 192 American Federation of Teachers, AFL. The charter of Local 192 was revoked on June 7, 1941 because of Communist domination. The known Communists acting in Local 192, after the revocation of the charter formed The Teachers Union of Philadelphia, and in March 1944 secured a charter as Local 556, State, County, and Municipal Workers of America, CIO. On April 23, 1946 the State, County, and Municipal Workers of America, CIO, and the United Federal Workers of America, met in Atlantic City, New Jersey, and on this date both Unions dissolved themselves. The following day, April 24, 1946, both Unions met and merged and formed the United Public Workers of America, CIO). A great many of the names appearing in this book are teachers employed in the Philadelphia Schools.

In several different places in this book there appears only an individual's last name and address. In these instances a memorandum has been placed in the file of all of the persons of the same last name residing at this same address.

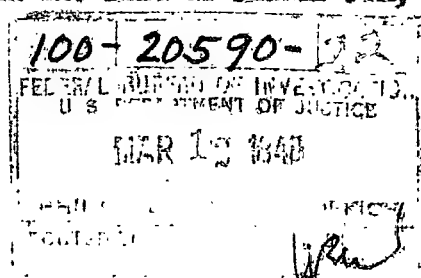
The above captioned name appeared in this address book as follows:

Delphie Augenblich
708 Washington Square
Lom. 3571

It is believed that this book was in current use from about 1942 to 1945.

This address book is being retained as an exhibit in the file of SIDNEY FOX, File 100-29789.

jtd:ebn
100-20590



OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

FROM : SE JOSEPH G. MEMLER

SUBJECT: **Delphia Augenblick**
SECURITY MATTER - C

DATE: March 30, 1948

FOIA b 7 - D

On December 4, 1947, Confidential Informant [] furnished SA JOHN A. HEBENSTREIT and SE EDWARD CRAIG with ten books containing carbon copies of receipts showing payments to the PHILADELPHIA SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCE AND ART during the period October 1943 to January 1944. (They were arbitrarily numbered and identified by this office).

Payments to the school were made basically for one of three reasons:

- (1) Payment of forum and movie tickets
- (2) Contributions
- (3) Payment of tuition fees of courses to be taken

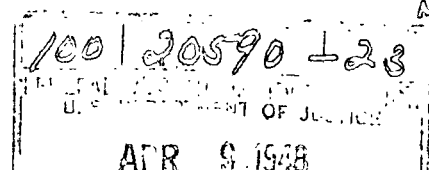
The subject's name appeared in book No. 2 for the following reason:

Paid \$5.00 for tuition, course not given.

The original books are retained as an exhibit to the PHILADELPHIA SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCE AND ART, file 65-1078.

100-20590

JGM:mld



OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

FROM : SE JOSEPH G. MEMLER

DATE: APR 29 1948

SUBJECT: PHILADELPHIA SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCE AND ART
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

FOIA b(7) - D

On December 4, 1947, Confidential Informant [] furnished SA JOHN A. HEBENSTREIT and SE EDWARD CRAIG with a ledger book maintained by the PHILADELPHIA SCHOOL for the purpose of keeping a record of contribution books issued by the SCHOOL to help build the SCHOOL.

This ledger book reflects the names of people to whom the contribution books were issued and the amount of money they turned in.

The names appearing in the above mentioned ledger book were searched in the indices of this office and a copy of this memo is designated to those individuals who have master files in this office. For those individuals who do not have master files their names are indexed to instant serial.

The ledger book is retained as an exhibit to instant file.

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65-1078

cc: 100-5483 (JANE HODES)
100-25229 (BERN STAMBLER)
100-23591 (SONIA SU)
100-20851 (DORIS RUBIN)
100-19746 (NANCY SNYDER)
100-20378 (SYLVIA ROSEN)
100-21793 (BETTY HERSHMAN)
100-25858 (SYLVIA LEVIN)
100-11005 (BEA PANCOAST)
100-31259 (ADRIAN POUNDS)
100-30146 (ELIZABETH FROMBERG)
100-23172 (DR. SAM NEMZOFF)
100-6115 (DAVE NEWMAN)

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100-25344 (ADELE MARGOLIS)
100-21310 (YALE GLOSSMAN)
100-24319 (LIBBY STAMBLER)
100-30078 (HARRY FRUIT)
100-21942 (SI GOLLUB /SEYMORE/)
100-27405 (DR. A. FORTE)
100-17385 (MADELINE FLITZSTEIN)
100-30123 (MORRIS FRUMIN)
100-1572 (MAURICE KOLINSKY)
100-24001 (ALLEN FREELON)
100-22998 (EDNA HEPBURN)
100-1159 (MARY HENLE)
100-25625 (JULES LINK)
100-8473 (PAULINE HOLSTEIN)
100-2779 (SAUL WALDBAUM)
100-32818 (A. /ANNA/ BRODY)
100-24641 (RABBI J. GERSON BRENNER)
100-17599 (MILDRED FAIRCHILD)
100-6087 (ELIZABETH FRAZIER)
100-24698 (REV. D. W. HOGGARD)
100-5617 (FRANCIS FISHER KANE)
100-10547 (ALICE LIVERIGHT)
100-16885 (BEULAH DERRICKSON)
100-13485 (E. WASHINGTON RHODES)
100-16777 (HENRY RHINE)
100-2726 (SAMUEL PUTNAM)
100-18787 (MAURICE NABUT)
100-4052 (LOUIS Mc CABE)
100-11840 (REV. J. A. /JOHN ARCHIBALD/ MacCALLUM)
100-4631 (ROBERT GEIGER)
100-4965 (GENEVIEVE FOX)
100-2454 (ARTHUR HUFF FAUSET)
100-4517 (DR. BENJAMIN NETREBA)
100-32902 (MRS. BENJAMIN /ROSE/ NETREBA)
100-24637 (PROF. THOMAS WOODY)
100-22703 (DR. SAMUEL BELL)
100-19183 (DR. FRANK KAI-MING SU)
100-28665 (ADA BUCKNER)
100-23571 (ESTHER BIBERMAN)
100-20825 (BERNICE BLANK)
61-86 (SAM BRENNER)
100-5880 (CELE COHEN)
100-20832 (HERBERT LOVITZ)

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100-20512 (ISABELLE FISHER)
100-33000 (SARAH FINE)
100-28667 (SOPHIE ELFONT)
100-28045 (RENA CORMAN)
100-20863 (SELMA COOPER)
100-28599 (GOLDIE KLEINER)
100-3596 (ELSIE SMITH)
100-26298 (DORIS FRANK)
100-32546 (GLADYS FORSCHER)
100-26249 (SADIE SCHWARTZ)
100-8093 (ANNA PENNYPACKER)
100-21296 (BERTHA MATKOFF)
100-28781 (EMMA MOLIVER)
100-6543 (ESTHER SOIFER)
100-23041 (SARAH WOLFBERG)
100-24357 (MARK WEISS)
100-15249 (RALPH WHITE)
100-20853 (ABRAHAM SPINDEL)
100-28036 (FRANCES BILLET)
100-26906 (MAURICE AUGENBLICK)
100-21838 (DINA ZEITLIN)
65-170 (SAM LIPSCHUTZ)
100-33632 (MAX KATZMAN)
100-21377 (SAMUEL KAHN)
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100-22978 (JOHN CLARK)
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100-20590 (DELPHIA AUGENBLICK)
100-28266 (LEONARD BALABAN)
100-20781 (OLIVE BELLOW)
100-1842 (EVE BERNOFF)
100-21002 (ETHEL BLANK)
100-258 (WILHELMINA CARVER)
100-22810 (MAMIE CHAUFFETZ)
100-23360 (RITA COHEN)
100-10883 (DR. ELI FINKELSTEIN)
100-20866 (BEN FIREMAN)
100-23952 (REA FRANK)
100-24297 (ART GOLDBERG)
100-19232 (SAM GOLDBERG)
100-12954 (MORRIS GROSS)
100-8535 (MARY GROSSMAN)
100-22896 (ANNA HANTZ)

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100-16205 (REBECCA HARRIS)
100-24811 (TOM JONES)
100-23936 (DAVE KADER)
100-14729 (FRANCIS KEINBORD)
100-22829 (HARRY KRAVITZ)
100-21749 (ELSIE LEVITAN)
100-909 (FLOSS MARSON)
100-29481 (MARY MORRELL)
100-20069 (NELLIE MOSEFF)
100-21632 (JULES PEPPER)
100-32942 (MINNIE PINSKER)
100-19915 (RUTH PRICE)
100-5280 ((BERNARD SOL) ROTENBERG)
100-22753 (LEONA RUBIN)
100-18625 (RALPH RUBIN)
100-18126 (DR. DAN SEGAL)
100-857 (LEONARD SEITCHIK)
100-2562 (JOHN TUMBELTY)
100-17806 (HELEN TURNER)
100-19888 (TED WASSERMAN)
100-1210 (BESS WEINER)
100-24428 (ROSE WEISS)
100-2910 (GLADYS ZEEMAN)
100-3475 (SAM BLITZSTEIN)
100-32947 (ROSE BLOOM)
100-26489 (GEORGE KIPNISS)
101-445 (B. /BERTRAM/ SHAFFER)
100-28033 (DR. H. /HERMAN/ SINGER)
100-26249 (SADYE SCHWARTZ)
100-2133 (SYLVIA POWELL)
100-5649 (M. /MORRIS/ SHAFRITZ)
100-27254 (J. /JOHN/ BERNHEIMER)
100-12682 (DORIS KAUFMAN)
100-29001 (E. /ERNEST/ LOEB)

Name Delphia Augenblick

File Number 100-20580

Address 708 Washington Sq. CP

Alleged
Member (✓) Member () Sympathizer (✓)

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903 Clinton St
10/47

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POTENTIAL DANGER

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World War II Vet

Abraham Lincoln Brigade or

Spanish Loyalist Army

Any other Military Service or Training

Russian or Satellite Background

Lenin School () Wilson School

Far Eastern School

National Training School

District #3 Leadership Schools

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Former) Security Index Card

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: SAC

DATE: 5-26-51

FROM: THENON D. RUSHING, SA

SUBJECT: *Delphia AUGENBLICK*
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FOIA(b) 7 - D

On 3/13/51 [redacted] produced for examination by the writer and SA PHILIP T. KING the complete membership list of local 556 (Teacher's Local) UNITED PUBLIC WORKERS OF AMERICA. This list was current as of February 1951 [redacted]

The source of this information must be protected by the use of a T symbol.

The original memo containing the complete list of individuals may be found in file 100-31576.

The above individual's name appeared thereon as a member of local 556 in good standing as of February 1951.

2020 Walnut St

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SAC, Philadelphia (100-20590)

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER-C

The subject is presently employed as a teacher by the Philadelphia Board of Public Education at Stokley School, 32nd and Berks Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

Over a period of years, reliable informants reported the subject to be engaged in the following activities at Philadelphia:

In 1944 and 1945 the subject is believed to have been a member of the Communist Political Association and in 1945 to have been membership director of the Special Branch, Professional Section, Communist Political Association, at Philadelphia. During 1944, the subject was enrolled in the Philadelphia School of Social Science and Art, and as of January 1947, the subject's name appeared on a mailing list maintained in Philadelphia by the American Committee for Spanish Freedom.

Both of the aforementioned organizations have been cited by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

Bureau authority is requested to conduct an active investigation of Communist Party and Communist Party front activities of the subject. No contacts are contemplated with anyone in the educational system other than established sources.

In the event it becomes necessary to interview persons in the educational system, Bureau authority will be obtained prior to the interview.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, Philadelphia (100-20590)

DATE: December 28, 1951

FROM : *gsh* Director, FBI (100-385977)SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

Reurlet dated December 5, 1951.

Authority is granted you to initiate an investigation of the captioned individual. Your investigation should be conducted in accordance with the provisions of Section 87-C of the Manual of Instructions insofar as they pertain to investigations of individuals connected with institutions of learning. A review of the Bureau's indices reflects that all information in the Bureau's records concerning the captioned individual was furnished by the Philadelphia Division.

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SAC, Philadelphia (100-20590)

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

Investigation at Philadelphia indicates that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK is a white female, born 5/8/98 in Maryland. She presently resides at 2020 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and is employed as a teacher in the Philadelphia Public School system.

Informant reports subject to have been membership director of the Professional Section, Communist Political Association in 1945, at Philadelphia.

Baltimore is requested to verify the subject's birth date and furnish this information to the Philadelphia Office.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (100-20590)

DATE: 2/4/52

FROM : SAC, BALTIMORE (100-15105)

SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

Re Philadelphia letter to Baltimore 1/18/52.

The records of the Baltimore City, Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Records, reflected the following, under Birth Record #A-92086.

DELPHIA R. AUGENBLICK was born on May 8, 1898 at 200 S. Washington Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland. The mother was ROSA AUGENBLICK, nee Rosa Dessen, born in Russia, and the father was MAYER AUGENBLICK who was also born in Russia. The subject was listed as the third child of these parents.

The Baltimore indices were negative for all of the above listed persons. RUC

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TITLE DELPHIA AUGENBLICK			CHARACTER OF CASE SECURITY MATTER - C

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, born 5/8/98, currently resides at 2020 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and is employed as a teacher in the Philadelphia Public School System. Confidential informants report subject to have been a member of the City Committee of the CP at Philadelphia in 1943. In 1944 and 1945, subject was reported by an informant to be a member of the Professional Section, CP, and to have been Membership Director of the Special Club of this Section in 1945. Subject was reported on mailing lists of various CP front organizations in 1947, and to have been active in the Progressive Party in 1948. Description set out.

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DETAILS:

At Philadelphia, Pa.

This investigation was predicated upon information received from confidential informants to the effect that the subject was a member of the Communist Party in 1943.

All informants referred to in this report are of known reliability unless otherwise characterized.

APPROVED AND FORWARDED: <i>[Signature]</i>	SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES	
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Background

Birth Data

Records of the Baltimore, Md., Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Records, reflect that Birth Record #A-92086 indicates DELPHIA AUGENBLICK was born May 8, 1898, at 200 South Washington Avenue, Baltimore, Md. The mother was ROSA AUGENBLICK, nee DESSEN, born in Russia, and the father was MAYER AUGENBLICK, who was also born in Russia. The subject was listed as the third child of these parents.

Education

On January 11, 1952, SE PAUL J. HOTTINGER contacted Miss PAULINE SILVERBERG, Secretary, Philadelphia Board of Education. The subject's personnel file reflected the following information:

High School	Nanticoke, Pa., 1914-16
College	Bloomsburg State Normal, 1916-18
Cornell University	Summer of 1920
Temple University	1920-32, part time.
Columbia University	Summer of 1924
University of Pennsylvania	Summer of 1926

Marital Status

The subject's personnel record reflects her to be single.

Criminal Record

On January 24, 1952, SE JACK V. HENDRICKS advised that the files of the Philadelphia Police Department reflect no arrest record for DELPHIA AUGENBLICK.

Employment

Records at the Philadelphia Board of Education reflect the following employments for the subject, who is a grade-school teacher:

Nanticoke, Pa. - 1919-20
Nichols School, Philadelphia, Pa. - 1920
Hoffman School, Philadelphia, Pa. - 1922
Southwark School, Philadelphia, Pa. - 1925

McKinley-Hartranft School, Philadelphia, Pa. - 1930
Sabbatical leave - February 1, 1940 to January 31, 1941;
returned to same school.
J. Welsh-Hartranft - February 1, 1946 to September 1, 1946
Stokley School, Philadelphia, Pa. - September 1, 1946
to present.
Sabbatical leave - September 1, 1948 to August 31, 1949.

During the subject's two sabbatical leaves, she journeyed through southwest United States and Mexico studying Art and Ceramics.

Residences

Board of Education records reflect the following residences for the subject in Philadelphia:

108 North Mole Street - 1941
708 South Washington Square - 1945
2020 Walnut Street - 1949

On January 5, 1952, SE JACK V. HENDRICKS advised that Voters Registration Certificate #115785, maintained at City Hall Annex, Philadelphia, reflects that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK formerly resided at 903 Clinton Street, Philadelphia, in 1946.

The current Cross Reference Telephone Directory reflects that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK continues to reside at 2020 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., on March 24, 1952.

Connections with the Communist Party

Membership

On February 12, 1946, Confidential Informant T-1 advised that a person referred to as DELPHIA A. held Key No. 52 in the Special Branch of the CPA, and 1945 Membership Card #87597. The informant advised that the individual referred to above is believed to be identical with the subject.

On February 28, 1945, Confidential Informant T-1 further advised that the name DELPHIA AUGENBLICK and the No. 52 appear on a list which is believed to be the membership list of the Professional Section (Section 8), CPA, at Philadelphia.

On March 31, 1945, Confidential Informant T-1 advised that the name DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 708 South Washington Square, with the Key No. 52, appears on a list believed to be a membership list for the Professional Section of the CPA in Philadelphia. The informant stated that this list reflects the above person to hold 1944 Membership Card #78312, and 1945 Membership Card #87597, and to be Membership Director for the Special Club of this Section.

On June 27, 1946, Confidential Informant T-2 advised that the name AUGENBLICK, 708 South Washington Square, appeared on a list believed to be the membership list of one of the Sections within the Professional Section, CPA, at Philadelphia. The informant advised that the above individual, who is believed to be identical with the subject, is listed as Membership Director.

History of Activity

On June 7, 1943, Confidential Informant T-3 advised that one DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 708 South Washington Square, Philadelphia, Pa., was an appointed delegate to the City Committee of the CP in Philadelphia from Section 8 as of April 1943.

On March 14, 1945, Confidential Informant T-1 stated that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK had advised one EVELYN BEILAN that AUGENBLICK's club had secured six new subs and that the total for her club is now eleven. The informant advised that the subject was believed to be referring to subscriptions to the "Daily Worker."

The "Daily Worker" is an East Coast Communist publication.

On July 15, 1948, Confidential Informant T-4 advised that EVELYN BEILAN was Membership Director of one of the sections of the CP, USA, Eastern Pennsylvania and Delaware.

On March 18, 1945, Confidential Informant T-5 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK is believed to be Membership Director of a club within the Professional Section of the CPA in Philadelphia.

On April 10, 1945, Confidential Informant T-5 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK is believed to be collecting dues from CP members.

On April 26, 1945, Confidential Informant T-6 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 708 South Washington Square, Philadelphia, Pa., made inquiries concerning the dues status of certain individuals for the year 1945 in co-operation with EVELYN BEILAN.

On September 10, 1945, Confidential Informant T-5 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK was in contact with one EVELYN BEILAN.

On September 28, 1945, Confidential Informant T-5 advised that EVELYN BEILAN has reported that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK is going to be dropped because of the way she feels and acts. The informant was unable to determine the organization from which the subject was to be dropped.

Miscellaneous

On April 3, 1943, Confidential Informant T-7 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 708 South Washington Square, Philadelphia, Pa., is on the mailing list of the Tom Paine School of Social Science, 810 Locust Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The Tom Paine School of Social Science is among those organizations cited by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

On October 9, 1943, Confidential Informant T-8 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK is helping out with some of the work at the Locust Book Shop.

Confidential Informant T-9 has advised that the Locust Book Shop is an outlet for Communist literature in Philadelphia.

On September 7, 1944, Confidential Informant T-10 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK is believed to be on the Board of Directors of the Philadelphia School of Social Science and Art.

On December 4, 1947, Confidential Informant T-11 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK had paid \$5.00 tuition for a course at the Philadelphia School of Social Science and Art during 1944. This informant also advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK has contributed money to the Philadelphia School of Social Science and Art.

This organization has been cited by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

On June 15, 1945, Confidential Informant T-1 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK has paid for her issues of the "Daily Worker" and "The Worker." The informant advised that this is believed to refer to the first part of 1945.

"The Worker" and the "Daily Worker" are East Coast Communist publications.

Confidential Informant T-12 advised on January 23, 1947, that the name Miss DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 903 Clinton Street, appeared on an index card maintained by the American Committee for Spanish Freedom. The informant did not know the purpose of this card.

On February 12, 1947, Confidential Informant T-12 advised that he believed DELPHIA AUGENBLICK had volunteered to help with the work in connection with some function to be held by the American Committee for Spanish Freedom.

This organization has been cited by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

On October 30, 1947, Confidential Informant T-13 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 903 Clinton Street, Philadelphia, Pa., is on the mailing list of the Philadelphia Council of American-Soviet Friendship.

The National Council of American-Soviet Friendship is among those organizations cited by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

Confidential Informant T-13 advised on November 15, 1947, that Miss DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, 903 Clinton Street, Philadelphia, Pa., is on the mailing list of the American Council for Democratic Greece.

This organization has been cited by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

On March 25, 1948, Confidential Informant T-14 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK has completed her petition and that she concentrated her efforts on South Street from 13th to 16th Streets. The informant advised that the subject was referring to Progressive Party Petitions for Wallace.

On June 28, 1948, Confidential Informant T-15 advised that ROBERT KLONSKY, Organizational Secretary, CP, USA, District of Eastern Pennsylvania and Delaware, reported at a Section Organizers Meeting of the CP held during June 1948, that it was the responsibility of the Communist Party to guarantee that every member takes an active part in building the Progressive Party. He indicated that each CP Section would have the responsibility for a particular Section of Philadelphia.

On March 13, 1951, Confidential Informant T-16 advised that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, as of February 1951, was a member of Local 566 (Teachers' Local), United Public Workers of America.

In 1951, Local 566 had among its officers FRANCIS P. JENNINGS, President, and ESTER SOLER, Legislative Director.

Confidential Informant T-17 advised that FRANCIS JENNINGS attended and spoke at a CP Trade Union Meeting held December 3, 1948, at the Sylvania Hotel in Philadelphia.

Confidential Informant T-18 advised that ESTER SOLER had been among those in attendance at a meeting of the District Committee of the CP, USA, Eastern Pennsylvania and Delaware, held at Chris J. Perry Elks Hall, Philadelphia, on October 4, 1947. On this occasion, SOLER spoke concerning the duties and responsibilities of the Communist Party in preparation for the 1948 elections.

Description

Name:	DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
Sex:	Female
Race:	White
Born:	5/8/98, Baltimore, Md.
Residence:	2020 Walnut Street, Philadelphia.
Height:	5' 2"
Hair:	Gray
Eyes:	Brown
Occupation:	Teacher
Marital Status:	Single
Father:	MAYER AUGENBLICK
Mother:	ROSA AUGENBLICK
Brother:	MAURICE AUGENBLICK, 5122 Florence Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

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ADMINISTRATIVE PAGELEADS

THE PHILADELPHIA OFFICE
AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Will, if so advised by the Bureau, interview the subject concerning CP activities in Philadelphia.

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<u>Identity</u>	<u>Date of Activity or Description of Info.</u>	<u>Date Rec'd</u>	<u>Agent</u>	<u>Location</u>
T-1 Trash cover on residence of EVELYN BEILAN, 2728 Huntingdon Ave., Phila., through cooperation	List of names believed members of CPA.	2/12/45	SA JOHN B. WHITE	100-29199-1A-6
" "	List of names believed members of Professional Section, CPA.	2/28/45	SA JOHN B. WHITE	100-29199-1A-7
" "	Letter from subject to EVELYN BEILAN.	3/14/45	SA JOHN B. WHITE	100-29199-1A-8
" "	List of names believed members of Professional Section, CPA.	3/31/45	SA JOHN B. WHITE	100-29199-1A-9
" "	List of names indicated paid for DW and W.	6/15/45	SA PATRICK M. RICE	100-29199-1A-12

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T-2 Trash cover on residence of SIDNEY FOX, 2220 Pine St., Phila., through coopera- tion of [REDACTED]	List of names be- lieved members of Professional Section CPA.	6/27/46	SA JOHN W. DOOLEY.	100-29789- 1A-16
T-3 Anonymous source.				
T-4 Anonymous source.				
T-5 [REDACTED]	March 1945 April 1945 September 1945 September 1945	3/18/45 4/10/45 9/10/45 9/28/45		
T-6 Trash cover on residence of MADELINE BLITZSTEIN, 322 South 16th St., Phila., Pa., through [REDACTED]	Handwritten note from subject.	4/26/45	SA JOHN B. WHITE.	100-17385- 1A-11
T-7 [REDACTED]	Copy of mailing list.	4/3/43	SA FRANCIS E. WHITE.	65-1078-136

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T-8 [REDACTED]	October 1943	10/9/43		
T-9 [REDACTED]	Locust Book Shop pamphlet reflect- ing literature available at store.	5/8/46	SA JOSEPH M. ADAMS	100-37-238
T-10 [REDACTED]	1944	9/7/44		
T-11 [REDACTED]	Receipt books of Phila School of Social Science and Arts.	12/4/47	SA JOHN A. HEBENSTREIT; SE EDWARD CRAIG	65-1078-1F- 56-2 65-1078-1B- 5-6
T-12 Trash cover on offices of American Committee for Span- ish Freedom, Rm. 409, Crozier Bldg., through [REDACTED]	Index cards	1/23/47	SA JOHN W. DOOLEY	Not retained.
[REDACTED]	List of names	2/18/47	SA WILLIAM B. WELTE	Not retained.
T-13 [REDACTED]	Copy of names and addresses.	10/30/47	SAs FRED C. BIRKBY, BERNARD J. CONNELL; SE MARTIN E. COX, RAYMOND J. BOTT.	100-5473-433
	Copy of list of names and addresses.	11/15/47	SA ROBERT E. MASTERS; SE ALBERT COOPER.	100-29224- 252 P. 10

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T-14 [REDACTED]	1948	3/25/48		
T-15 [REDACTED]	June 1948	6/28/48		
T-16 [REDACTED]	Copy of member- ship list, Local 566.	3/13/51	SA PHILIP T. KING; SA THERON D. RUSHING.	100-31576- 300 P. 5
T-17 [REDACTED]	December 1948	12/3/48		
T-18 [REDACTED]	October 1947	10/4/47		

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REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Philadelphia, dated 12/28/51.

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-385977)

4/30/52

SAC, PHILADELPHIA (100-20590)

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

Re report of SA ROBERT E. KENT dated 4/22/52 at Philadelphia.

Bureau authority is requested to interview the subject. The following information is set out in accordance with Section 87C of the Manual of Instructions:

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, white race, teacher, Stokley School, 32nd and Berks Streets, Philadelphia, resides at 2020 Walnut Street, marital status single.

The subject was first reported by confidential informants of the Philadelphia Office to be a member of the Communist Party in 1943 when she was a delegate to the City Committee of the Communist Party in Philadelphia. In 1944 and 1945 the subject was reported to be a member of the Professional Section of the CPA at Philadelphia, and in 1945 was reported to be Membership Director of a club within the Professional Section. In September 1945, a discussion was reported that indicated the subject may have been dropped from the CPA at that time. Since 1945, no information has been received by the Philadelphia Office to indicate membership in the Communist Party on the part of the subject. AUGENBLICK has been reported to be on the mailing list of various front organizations in 1947, and in 1948 she was active on behalf of the Progressive Party. No information regarding front activities on the part of the subject has been received since 1948.

MAURICE L. AUGENBLICK, Bufile 100-378525, a brother of the subject, was reported to be a member of the CPA at Philadelphia in 1944. On 3/17/52, MAURICE AUGENBLICK was interviewed by agents of the Philadelphia Office, at which time he denied membership in the CPA. No information has been developed by the Philadelphia Office that MAURICE AUGENBLICK has been a member of the Communist Party since 1945.

Inasmuch as no activity on the part of the subject in the Communist Party has been reported since 1945, Bureau permission is requested to interview her. It is believed that in event the subject proves cooperative, she can furnish information regarding past Communist Party activities among teachers and professional people in Philadelphia. Consideration will be given to her possible development as a security informant.

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TO : SAC (100-20590) *Kent*

FROM : SA ROBERT E. KENT

SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
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DATE: 4/30/52

In connection with a current report on the subject by the writer, the following references were reviewed and found to be identical with the subject:

- Cards Consolidated 5/3/52*
- ✓ 65-1078-136
 - ✓ 100-3716-174, Page 65
 - ✓ 100-31576-300, Page 5
 - ✓ 100-29224-252, Page 10.

The following references were not available for review:

100-4842-274
100-3716-46.

It is suggested that the identical references be consolidated on the subject's master index card. Local references were reviewed and appropriately marked. The subject's Communist index card should be changed to reflect her present address at 2020 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, Philadelphia (100-20590)

DATE: May 8, 1952

FROM : Director, FBI (100-385977)

SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

Reurlet April 22, 1952, and report of Special Agent Robert E. Kent dated April 22, 1952, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Authority is granted you to interview captioned individual in accordance with instructions contained in No Number SAC Letter dated June 11, 1951.

In connection with the above interview you should be guided by the observations set forth in SAC Letter No. 24 dated March 4, 1952.

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SAC, PHILADELPHIA (100-20590)

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

Rebulet dated 5/8/52.

In accordance with instructions in referenced letter, DELPHIA AUGENBLICK was interviewed on 6/19/52 at her residence, 2020 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., by agents of the Philadelphia Office. The responsibility of the FBI in the Internal Security field was explained to the subject and her cooperation solicited.

AUGENBLICK met the agents in a friendly manner; however, in regard to any knowledge on her part of Communist Party members or activities, she stated, "I have nothing to say." The interview was then terminated and no further contacts with the subject are contemplated.

AUGENBLICK is not currently a Security Index subject and no recommendation is being made at this time, in view of the lack of Communist Party activity on the part of the subject since 1945.

Inasmuch as the subject is employed as a teacher by the Philadelphia Board of Education, a separate letter is being prepared requesting Bureau authority to disseminate information regarding her to the Governor of Pennsylvania and the Police Commissioner of Philadelphia.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (62-93875)

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SAC, PHILADELPHIA (80-247)

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE FBI
IN THE INTERNAL SECURITY FIELD
DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
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(Bufile 100-385977)

Pursuant to provisions of the SAC letters No. 19, dated 2/17/51, No. 33, dated 4/10/51, and No. 51, dated 5/29/51, Bureau authorization is requested to furnish information concerning DELPHIA AUGENBLICK to the Honorable JOHN S. FINE, Governor of Pennsylvania, and to THOMAS J. GIBBONS, Commissioner, Philadelphia Police Department.

It is contemplated to disseminate the information contained herewith to Governor FINE, with whom this office has experienced friendly relations, and to Commissioner GIBBONS, who has recently been appointed to office. Commissioner GIBBONS enjoys an excellent reputation and his disgression and reliability have been established.

In event Bureau authority is granted, the following information will be disseminated:

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK resides at 2020 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and is employed as a grade school teacher by the Philadelphia Board of Education at Stokley School, 32nd and Berks Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

In April 1943 DELPHIA AUGENBLICK was an appointed delegate to the City Committee of the CP in Philadelphia from Section 8.

In October 1943 DELPHIA AUGENBLICK helped with work at the Locust Book Shop, which was the principal disseminating agency for Communist literature in the Philadelphia area.

In 1944 DELPHIA AUGENBLICK was reported to be on the Board of Directors of the Philadelphia School of Social Science and Art, and to have contributed money and attended courses at this school.

In 1944 and 1945 the subject was a member of the CPA of Eastern Pennsylvania and Delaware, holding 1944 membership card No. 78312, and 1945

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membership book No. 87597. She was reported to be Membership Director of one of the groups of the Professional Section of the CPA during 1945.

In 1943 AUGENBLICK's name was reported to appear on a mailing list of the Tom Paine School of Social Science. In 1947 her name was reported to appear on mailing lists of the Philadelphia Council of American Soviet Friendship and the American Council for a Democratic Greece. Also in 1947 AUGENBLICK was reported to be helping with some work in connection with a function held by the American Committee for Spanish Freedom.

The CP, USA, the CPA, the Philadelphia School of Social Science and Art, the Tom Paine School of Social Science, the National Council of American Soviet Friendship, the American Council for a Democratic Greece, and the American Committee for Spanish Freedom have all been cited by the Attorney General of the United States as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

The above information concerning the association of DELPHIA AUGENBLICK with the aforementioned organizations was furnished by Confidential Sources of known reliability.

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TO : SAC (100-20590) *ce*

FROM : SA ROBERT E. KENT

SUBJECT: ADELPHIA AUGENBLICK
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DATE: 7/2/52

In connection with an interview of the subject on 6/19/52, it was determined that LENORE JACOBS is presently residing at 2020 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., with the subject.

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TO : SAC, Philadelphia (80-247)(100-20590)

DATE: July 17, 1952

FROM : Director, FBI (62-93875)(100-385977)

SUBJECT: RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE FBI
IN THE INTERNAL SECURITY FIELDDELPHIA AUGENBLICK
SECURITY MATTER - C

Reurlets June 26, 1952, and July 2, 1952.

In relet of June 26, 1952, you advised that when interviewed the subject was friendly but refused to discuss anything regarding Communist Party activities. You stated that subject's name was not being recommended for inclusion in the Security Index in view of the lack of Communist Party activity on her part since 1945.

In most cases it is not desired that under this program we volunteer information to local authorities concerning individuals whose names are not included in the Security Index. In this case, since you have not developed information reflecting that the subject is potentially dangerous to the internal security of the country, it is not felt that we have any responsibility to advise local authorities concerning her past activities.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC (100-20590)

FROM : SA ALBERT E. FALLER

SUBJECT: Miss D. AUGENBLICK
2020 Walnut St., Phila., Pa.
SM - C

DATE: 8/20/53

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On 5/23/53, [redacted] of known reliability, furnished SA HARRY C. BELK with approximately 2000 mailing envelopes [redacted]

[redacted] The Informant brought these envelopes to this office for copying purposes. After being photographed, these envelopes were returned to the Informant [redacted]

The material was photographed with a Graflex Photorecord Camera set at F-11 and $\frac{1}{2}$ seconds. The film was forwarded to the Bureau by registered letter dated 6/15/53. At the Bureau one copy of each print was made. These prints together with the original film were returned to Philadelphia by letter dated 7/1/53.

The original film is being retained as an exhibit in 100-31535-1B-73. The above name and address was reflected on one of these envelopes, which may be located in File 100-31535-8591, Page 44, Section 84, where the photographic prints are being retained.

[redacted] stated that these envelopes contained a leaflet publicizing the CRC sponsored "Freedom Festival" at Camp Alpine on 6/14/53. Prior to this date, the affair was rededicated to the plea for clemency of JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG, and due to inclement weather, it was actually held on Sunday, 6/21/53. A photographic copy of this leaflet may be found in 100-31535-8592.

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FBI, PHILA.

11/6/53

HCUA. EARL FUOSS, INVESTIGATOR FOR HCUA, ADVISED THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS HAVE BEEN SUBPOENAED TO APPEAR BEFORE OPEN SESSIONS OF THE COMMITTEE TO BE HELD PHIL 11/16-18/53 IN CONNECTION WITH INVESTIGATION OF COMMUNIST INFILTRATION IN FIELD OF EDUCATION: SADIE ATKINSON (BUFILE 100-391301); DELPHIA AUGENBLICK (BUFILE 100-385977); SARAH CROME (BUFILE 100-215679); HARRY DUBIN (BUFILE 100-193395); ISADORE MELTZER (BUFILE 100-379000); WESLEY RANDALL (BUFILE 100-375375); WILLIAM G. SOLER (BUFILE 100-312179); BESSIE STENSKY (BUFILE 101-2844); SARAH WALSH WEPMAN (BUFILE 100-258789). IN ADDITION, SUBPOENA WAS TO BE SERVED ON ANGELINA INTILLE (BUFILE 100-363873). OF ABOVE INDIVIDUALS, BUREAU HAS ALL INFORMATION IN POSSESSION PHILA. OFFICE EXCEPT FOLLOWING, ON WHOM CURRENT INFORMATION BEING PREPARED FOR SUBMISSION: CROME, SUBIN, RANDALL AND WEPMAN. DANIEL ASHLER, AKA ALTSHULER (BUFILE 65-5887) ALSO HAS BEEN SERVED WITH SUBPOENA AND STATED HE WELCOMED SUBPOENA AS HE IS NOT A COMMUNIST AND WISHES TO CLARIFY THE RECORD. FUOSS SAID FOR THIS REASON ASHLER WILL BE REQUESTED TO TESTIFY IN EXECUTIVE RATHER THAN OPEN SESSION. FUOSS SAID BELLA DODD HAS BEEN SUBPOENAED AND WILL TESTIFY RE CP MEMBERSHIP OF FOLLOWING, FORMERLY TEACHERS.

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NOTE: Above information is not disseminated and separate memoranda will be prepared

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FUOSS EMPHASIZED DODD'S INFORMATION OF PAST CP MEMBERSHIP AND EMPLOYMENT. ADELE MARGOLIS (BUFILE 100-349134); LILLIAN LOWENFELS, (BUFILE 100-36448); WILBUR (BUFILE 100-352951) AND ADELINE MAHANEY; ESTHER SOLER (BUFILE 100-34038); MARY FOLEY GROSSMAN (BUFILE 100-154774); GOLDIE WATSON (BUFILE 100-49349); VIVIAN DAHL (BUFILE 100-298333); PAULINE KESAKOFF FEUER (BUFILE 100-217493); NATHAN (BUFILE 100-375901) AND ROSE SHRAGER; SARAH WALSH, AND AARON KREMER OR POSSIBLY KRAMER. IT IS NOTED PHILADELPHIA POSSESSES NO INFORMATION RE KREMER'S CP MEMBERSHIP OR ACTIVITIES AND HAS INFORMATION THAT REFLECTS KREMER ONLY AS A "PROMINENT JEWISH POET". IT IS SUGGESTED NY CONDUCT INTERVIEW OF DODD TO SECURE ALL INFORMATION RE INDIVIDUALS SHE WILL MENTION IN HER TESTIMONY PROVIDING BUREAU AND PHILA. WITH DETAILS. WITH REFERENCE TO ABOVE INDIVIDUALS MENTIONED BY DODD, PHILA. IS PREPARING CURRENT REPORTS ON THE FOLLOWING: GROSSMAN, WATSON, NATHAN AND ROSE SHRAGER. REMINDER ARE IN CURRENT REPORTING STATUS. IT IS SUGGESTED NEW ORLEANS, IN CASE PAULINE FEUER, SUBMIT REPORT TO BUREAU IMMEDIATELY, SETTING FORTH ALL CURRENT INFORMATION RE HER CP ACTIVITIES. FUOSS SAID DOROTHY FUNN, BROOKLYN, NY, HAS BEEN SUBPOENAED AND WILL IDENTIFY GOLDIE WATSON AS CP MEMBER. IT IS NOTED FUNN PREVIOUSLY TESTIFIED IN NYC IN JULY 1953 RE CP MEMBERSHIP OF RUSS NIXON.

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100-30092 (ROSE SHRAGER) ✓

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SA WALTER J. SHERIDAN

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On 11/12/53, [redacted] was reinterviewed at her request at her residence, [redacted] a Confidential Source, who is being considered of known reliability, orally furnished the following information to the writer.

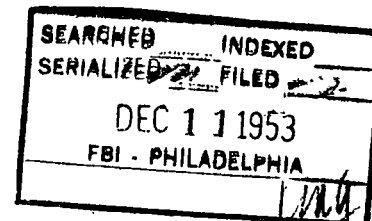
She was recruited into the Communist Party [redacted]

[redacted] In joining the Communist Party, she signed a membership card under an assumed name, but she was not able to recall the name she used.

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She recalled; however, attending a few Communist Party meetings at [REDACTED] which MALERMAN's wife, (FNU) was also present. She could not recall other individuals who were Communist Party members during that period, but said she would attempt to do so,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] identified the following individuals as members of this group:

ROSE MARGOLIS
AEE EGNAL
LILLIAN MARINS
NATE SCHRAGER
JOE EHRENREICH
FREIDA EHRENREICH
THELMA ABRAHAM
FRANK STEIN
PAULINE STEIN
NATE FOX (Brother of SID FOX)
BECKY FRANK
RUTH OSER
MARTIN RUGG
CELESTINE FULCHON
MORT SONENFELD

[REDACTED] said that JOE EHRENREICH was the leader of this group. Meetings were held every two weeks at the homes of different members.

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] identified the following individuals as having been members of this group:

LEON KOPPLEMAN
BEN TARIN
TOM DEACON
FREIDA BURKE
OLGA BERNHARDT
CECILY STEINBERG (sister of IDA LANGMAN)
HERMAN BEILAN
BEULAH DERRICKSON
DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
IZADORE KIEINBERG
IDA KIEINBERG

[REDACTED] said that BEN TARIN was the leader of this group, probably the organizer. FREIDA BURKE was the literature director. Most of the meetings were held at the residence of CECILY STEINBERG, who resided in the 2000 or 2100 block of Pine Street.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] also identified the following individuals as members of the Professional Section of the Communist Party, Eastern Pennsylvania and Delaware, during the period 1939 to 1944. She said that it was common knowledge in the Communist Party that these persons were members;

[REDACTED]

AARON KERMAN
SIDNEY FOX
GENEIVE FOX
HARRY FRUIT
ELEANOR FLEET

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ESTHER SOLER
PAULINE KASAKOFF
MARY GROSSMAN
SARAH WALSH
SAM DRASIN
SYLVIA DRASIN
ESTELLE GINN (first wife of SAM DARCY)

This source's identity should be carefully protected.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, (100-38364)

FROM : SA HOWARD A. SEARL

SUBJECT: HCUA

DATE: 12/28/53

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Re Washington Field letter to Director, cc Philadelphia, dated 12/11/53.

The reference communication advises the Director and the Philadelphia Office that continuation of the HCUA hearings initiated in conjunction with the committee's investigation of Communist efforts within the field of education in Philadelphia have not definitely been scheduled. The hearings, however, will be continued after Congress convenes on 1/6/54. The letter identifies the individuals who are to be heard when these hearings are held. A copy of this memo is being designated for the master file of each individual to be subpoenaed before the committee.

In view of the above, it is requested the master file of each individual who is to be heard be reviewed to insure that all material available has been provided the Bureau in current report form prior to the hearings. It is noted the majority of these individuals have previously been reported as perspective witnesses before the committee. The Bureau has previously instructed that in the event an individual is to be subpoenaed before HCUA or any other Congressional committee, his file is to be brought up to date and all available information provided the Bureau prior to the time the individual takes the stand as a witness.

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THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT **PHILADELPHIA**

REPORT MADE AT PHILADELPHIA	DATE WHEN MADE 2/12/54	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 2/10/54	REPORT MADE BY WALTER J. SHERIDAN (llw)
TITLE DELPHIA AUGENBLICK			CHARACTER OF CASE SECURITY MATTER - C

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Confidential Informant T-1 advised that subject was a member of the "In Town" Club of the Professional Section, Communist Party, Eastern Pennsylvania and Delaware, during period 1940-1944. Confidential Informant T-2 advised that invitation to Civil Rights Congress event was sent to subject in May, 1953. Subject interviewed 6/19/52, and stated she had nothing to say to agents.

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DETAILS:

All informants used in this report are of known reliability.

Communist Party Membership

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK was a member of the "In Town" Club of the Professional Section, Communist Party, Eastern Pennsylvania and Delaware, during the period 1940 to 1944.

(T-1, November 12, 1953)

Civil Rights Congress

The Civil Rights Congress has been designated by the United States Attorney General pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

In May, 1953, an invitation to a "Freedom Festival," which was to have been held on June 14, 1953, under the auspices of the Civil Rights Congress, was sent to the subject. The informant was unable to state whether the subject attended this event.

(T-2, May 23, 1953)

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Interview Of Subject

The subject was interviewed on June 19, 1952, at her residence, 2020 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., by SAs ROBERT E. KENT and HILLARD D. THORPE. The subject said that she had nothing to say to the interviewing agents.

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Instant report contains all unreported information regarding the subject contained in Philadelphia files.

EARL FUOSS, Committee Investigator, House Committee on Un-American Activities, advised on February 4, 1954, that the subject is one of the individuals under subpoena to appear before the House Committee on Un-American Activities at Washington, D. C., on February 16, 17, 1954.

Informants

Identity Of Source	Date Of Activity And/Or Description Of Information	Date Received	Agent To Whom Furnished	File Number Where Located
T-1 <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 60px; width: 200px;"></div>	Communist Party Membership 1940-1944	11/12/53	SA WALTER J. SHERIDAN (oral)	100-20590-41
T-2 <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 30px; width: 200px;"></div>	Invitation to Civil Rights Congress event May, 1953	5/23/53	Photographed by SA HARRY C. BEIK	100-31535-1-B-73

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REFERENCES: Report of SA ROBERT E. KENT dated 4/22/52, at Philadelphia. Philadelphia Air-Tel to Director dated 2/4/54, captioned House Committee on Un-American Activities.

3 of 4 teachers silent on Red ties in Capital

(Philadelphia DAILY NEWS Washington Bureau)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Three of four Philadelphia public school teachers appearing today before a House Un-American Activities Subcommittee were cited as having Communist membership records, but all refused to answer questions on Constitutional grounds.

The three cited as having been party members were not previously named in a list of teachers quizzed by Dr. Louis P. Hoyer, superintendent of schools.

The names that came to light today are: Miss Delphia Augenblick, 2020 Walnut St., first grade teacher at Stokely School, 32d and Berks Sts., and a teacher for 34 years in city schools; Mrs. Angelina Antilla, 4th grade teacher at Comly School and a teacher in Philadelphia since 1932, and Mrs. Eleanor Fleet, of 1721 Brocklehurst St., teacher at Stokely School.

The fourth teacher, Francis Jennings, was not cited as a one-



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time Communist member but it was pointed out the Teachers Union, of which he is president in Philadelphia, has been kicked out of both the AFL and the CIO as Communist-dominated.

Both Mrs. Fleet and Jennings were on the earlier list made public by Dr. Hoyer and are under suspension.

It was asserted before the subcommittee that Miss Augenblick belonged to the party in 1944 and 1945, according to sworn testimony; that Mrs. Antilla was a card-carrying member, according to Rep. Francis E. Walter (D.), Pennsylvania, and Mrs. Fleet held party cards in both 1944 and 1945.

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and was a CP member as late as 1951, according to testimony given the subcommittee.

Mrs. Antilla said she was not a member of the party when she signed the State Loyalty Oath in 1952, when asked if she was a member now, replied "of course not," but declined to answer when asked if she was ever a member.

"I saw your card," Representative Walters told her.

Committee counsel said the group has sworn testimony that Mrs. Fleet held party card No. 78367 in 1944 and card No. 87625 in 1945.

"We have sworn testimony you were a member as late as 1950 and 1951," counsel said.

Mrs. Fleet refused to answer about her alleged record.

DECLINES ANSWERS

Miss Augenblick repeatedly declined to answer questions about Communist affiliations after huddling with her attorney, David Berger. Committee members and counsel tried without success to pry answers about work she allegedly did for the party in the 1940's.

She declined to answer under the Fifth Amendment to the Constitution when Kunzig asked her if, in 1943, she was a delegate to the City Committee of the Communist Party from Branch 8A, Section 8.

Assuming she was a member in 1943, Congressman Walter said, "how could that incriminate you now?"

FOLLOWS ADVICE

The Philadelphia teacher said she was acting on the advice of

her counsel.

"In other words," Walter said, "it is not your own answer."

She kept silent.

Pleading with the teacher to say something, Walter told her she "could make a great contribution to this committee if you would cooperate — I'm very disappointed that you won't take steps to assist the committee."

"If you were assured you wouldn't be prosecuted, would you then assist the committee?" the Easton Democrat asked.

She said nothing.

QUIZZED ON JOB

Kunzig took up the questioning. "Were you membership director of Section 8, Communist Party of Philadelphia?"

She declined to answer.

Kunzig said the committee has sworn testimony that in 1944 she held Communist membership book No. 78312. Asking if that were so, Kunzig got another refusal to answer.

"This committee has sworn testimony that in 1945 you held membership book No. 87597. Is that so?"

The teacher declined to answer.

Congressman Scherer then asked, "If you had not been a member of the party in 1945, would you then answer?"

She said nothing.

"Were you ever a member of the Communist Party?" Kunzig asked.

She declined to answer.

Jennings, who said he formerly worked at the Philadelphia Naval Base and Quartermaster Depot

from 1940 to 1941, was a teacher at Benjamin Franklin High School from 1941 until he was suspended last November.

Jennings, represented by John Rogers Carroll, the attorney who spoke for him at his recent Board of Education hearing in Philadelphia, refused to answer some questions concerning the Teachers' Union under privileges of the First, Fourth, Fifth, Ninth and 10th Amendments to the Constitution.

Walter asked: "Was the Teachers' Union thrown out of the CIO because you were its president?"

Jennings refused to answer.

Kunzig asked: "Is the Teachers' Union, which you head, the same group essentially which was thrown out of the CIO?"

Jennings answered: "Yes."

Kunzig introduced as an exhibit an advertisement in the Feb. 3, 1954, issue of a Philadelphia newspaper attempting to raise funds for the defense of the teachers appearing before the committee.

ANNOUNCED MEETING

Jennings refused to answer whether he had anything to do with inserting the ad, but his name appeared at the bottom as president of the union. The ad said it was paid for by the teachers' union.

The ad told persons to attend a meeting at the Adelphia Hotel on Feb. 5 to hear the teachers' side of the story. Kunzig said the ad denounced the House Un-American Activities Committee.

Jennings refused to say whether he had attended the meeting, refused to say who spoke there, and refused to say whether he had anything to do with the arrangements.

Five Teachers Suspended for Balking Probers

Five Philadelphia school teachers who refused to answer questions concerning alleged Communist affiliations at hearings in Washington this week were suspended yesterday by Dr. Louis P. Hoyer, Superintendent of Schools.

Those suspended effective at the end of the school day were:

Delphia Augenblick, Walnut st. near 20th, a first-grade teacher at the Stokely School, 32d and Berks sts.

Mrs. Leonora C. Jacobs, Spruce st. near 19th, Spanish teacher at South Philadelphia High School for Girls.

Mrs. Angelina Intille, Horrocks st. near St. Vincent, fourth-grade teacher at the Comly School, Byberry and Kelvin rds.

Mrs. Sarah Crome, 48th st. near Locust, who taught mathematics at Abraham Lincoln High School.

Mrs. Goldie B. Watson, N. College ave. near 23d st., a teacher at Martha Washington School, 44th and Aspen sts.

Even before the suspensions were announced by Dr. Hoyer and Add B. Anderson, secretary and business manager of the Board of Education, Mrs. Intille filed a petition in Common Pleas Court No. 5 for reinstatement.

Her attorney, Lois G. Forer, demanded that the court immediately enjoin the school board from carrying out the suspension. Judge Smith dismissed the request.

HEARING SET MARCH 22

After a half-hour conference with Miss Forer and Edward Soken, attorney representing the school board, the jurist set March

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22 as the date on which he will hear arguments concerning the dismissal action.

Mrs. Crome, who had filed a similar suit Thursday in Common Pleas Court No. 6, also was refused an immediate injunction. In turning down the request of her attorney, John S. Bernheimer, Judge Curtis Bok did not set a date for a hearing.

Although he had questioned the five teachers earlier about their alleged Communist activities, Dr. Hoyer made it clear he was suspending them "for refusing to cooperate" with the House subcommittee on Tuesday and Wednesday.

DUTY TO ANSWER QUESTIONS

"It is the duty of every teacher to answer any proper question asked by a Congressional committee acting within the scope of its authority," he said. "Public school teachers must show by their own willingness to perform their public duty that they are fit to serve as an example to the children they teach."

"These teachers failed in their duty and are unfit to be teachers in the Philadelphia public schools."

NO ACTION ON 3 OTHERS

At the same time, Dr. Hoyer said he was taking no action against three other teachers called before the subcommittee.

They are Mrs. Adeline L. Mahaney, a French teacher at Roosevelt Junior High School; Mrs. Celestine Fulchon, a teacher at the Minnie M. Kendrick School, 38th st. and Powelton ave.; and Wilbert McCabe, a social studies teacher at Sulzberger Junior High School. All testified they had no affiliation with the Communist Party. Hoyer said their cases were "being studied."

Members of the Board of Education were notified by Anderson yesterday that hearings for 18 of the 26 teachers suspended Nov. 20 would be held on Mondays and Fridays, March 15 through May 28. One hearing will be held each day. The teachers involved will be

advised of their hearing dates next week, Anderson said.

Meanwhile, the Pennsylvania Association for Retarded Children announced it would hold hearings for two of its own teachers who refused to answer questions in the Washington hearings.

They are Harry N. Dubin, superintendent of the five PARC schools here, and Mrs. Bessie Stensky, an instructor. After a special meeting of the PARC board of directors in the Essex Hotel, Dr. Bernard Sherman, chairman, said that "at no time has any criticism been leveled against Mr. Dubin or Mrs. Stensky" by any parent, teacher "or from any other source in the community" since they had been employed by the group.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC (100-20590) *C/le #4ps*

FROM : SA R. BURNS TOOLSON

SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
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DATE: 3/8/54

Mr. HENRY S. HIRSH, Adjutant of American Legion Post #37, telephonically advised the writer on 2/27/54 that a Mrs. FELSENSTEIN (ELEANOR), who resides in the 3100 block on Euclid Avenue (3143 Euclid), had been visiting the parents in the neighborhood of the children who had been in the class formerly taught by a Mrs. AUGENBLICK (DELPHIA). Mr. HIRSH stated that Mrs. AUGENBLICK had been recently discharged as a teacher for failing to testify before the HCUA.

Mr. HIRSH stated that Mrs. FELSENSTEIN had been soliciting funds and attempting to persuade the parents to attend a meeting which Mr. HIRSH believed was to be held on 3/4/54, either at the FELSENSTEIN or the AUGENBLICK residence. The purpose of this meeting was not known to Mr. HIRSH.

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cc: 100-21267 (ELEANOR FELSENSTEIN)
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TO : SAC (100-~~38364~~) *20590 Helgeson mark*
FROM : SA HOWARD L. SEARL

DATE: 3-9-54 *NSH*

SUBJECT: *Del phag Augenblick*
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On 2/4/54, EARL FUOSS, Investigator for the House Committee on Un-American Activities, advised SA WILLIAM E. HUGHES that the above subject was to be placed under subpoena to the HCUA hearings to be held on 2/16-17/54, in Washington, D. C.

The Bureau was advised of the above by air-tel dated 2/4/54, in file 100-38364. Similarly, Washington Field has been requested to provide this office with the transcript of testimony taken during the appearances of the subject at Washington, D. C. This will be disseminated to the individual files upon receipt by Philadelphia Division. It is to be noted that the above information was disseminated verbally by the writer to agents responsible for each subject involved. Upon receipt of the testimony from Washington Field Office, as mentioned above, individual reports are to be prepared in each subject's file reflecting the appearance of the subject before the HCUA at Washington, D. C.

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TO : SAC (100-20590)
FROM : SE ROBERT J. YARNALL
SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
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On 1/20,21/54 SAs ROBERT E. KENT, ELMER C. MULLEN, and SE ALBERT COOPER, through arrangements with [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] photographed the addresses of a mailing consisting of approximately 2860 items.

These items bore the return address "Let Freedom Ring," c/o CRC, Room 312, Hardt Building, Broad Street and Columbia Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

Film utilized is maintained in 100-31535-1B-88 and the details of this operation are set out in 100-31535-9546.

The above subject's name appeared on this mailing list, maintained in 100-31535-9574 pg 32.

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Date: 6/2/54

Re WFO letter to Director dated 5/19/54.

Relet forwarded to Philadelphia testimony of Philadelphia subjects who appeared before HCUA sessions in Washington, D. C., on 2/16,17/54. This testimony is retained as exhibit 100-38364-1B-6(12).

In preparation of the next report on each subject appearing before HCUA, the subject's testimony is to be included.

In addition to the above, several attorneys from Philadelphia appeared as counsel for various subjects. These attorneys were:

DAVID BERGER
LOIS FORER
WILFRED LORRY
JOHN ROGERS CARROLL
FRANKLIN POUL
IRVING W. BACKMAN
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Testimony of CELESTINE FULCHON and WILLIAM R. McCABE is to be reviewed carefully in view of statements which may reflect perjury on their past.

A copy of this memo is being placed in the master file of each person appearing before the HCUA.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: Director, FBI (61-7582)

FROM: SAC, Philadelphia (100-38364)

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES

DATED: 6/21/54

Rebulet 6/14/54, and WFO letter to Bureau 5/19/54.

Referenced communication forwarded copies of testimony of following individuals before HCUA sessions held in Washington, D.C., on 2/16,17/54:

GOLDIE FELICIA WATSON (Bufile 100-49349)
 DELPHIA AUGENBLICK (Bufile 100-385977)
 ABRAHAM EGNAL, wa. (Bufile 100-374534)
 BERNARD BENJAMIN AUGUST (Bufile 100-392475)
 SARAH T. CROME (Bufile 100-215679)
 HARRY NATHAN DUBIN (Bufile 100-193395)
 ELEANOR FLEET (Bufile 100-34446)
 ANGELINA L. INTILLE (Bufile 100-363873)
 ADELINE MAHANEY (Bufile 100-375953)
 FRANCIS PAUL JENNINGS (Bufile 100-72937)
 SAMUEL DRASIN, wa., DRASIN (Bufile 100-377186)
 BESSIE STENSKY (Bufile 101-2844)
 WESLEY RANDALL (Bufile 100-375375)
 WILBUR LEE MAHANEY (Bufile 100-352951)
 CELESTINE ALICE FULCHON (Bufile 100-363507)
 MARY FOLEY GROSSMAN (Bufile 100-154774)
 LEANORA C. JACOBS (Bufile 100-392381)
 WILBERT RUDOLPH MC CABE (Bufile 100-363543)

Reports incorporating subjects' testimony will be submitted on completion of the Summary Report Program now in progress in the Philadelphia Division. It is noted Summary Report Program is scheduled to be completed 7/14/54. It is anticipated that reports in the instant cases will be completed by 8/31/54. It is noted the Bureau has been advised in each of the individual case files of the fact that the subjects had appeared before the HCUA.

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61-100-20590 (DELPHIA AUGENBLICK)
 100-19441 (BERNARD AUGUST)
 100-834 (SARAH T. CROME)
 100-24850 (SAMUEL DRASIN)
 100-32813 (HARRY NATHAN DUBIN)
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 100-30068 (ADELINE L. MAHANEY)
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TITLE DELPHIA AUGENBLICK			CHARACTER OF CASE SECURITY MATTER - C

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

On 2/16/54, in testimony before an open hearing of the HCUA, held in Washington, D.C., the subject refused to answer any questions which referred to her as a member of the CP or regarding her activities in the CP, invoking the Fifth Amendment of the U. S. Constitution.

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


Residence

An informant of known reliability advised on August 19, 1954, that the subject resides at 1919 Spruce Street, Philadelphia.

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Employment

In the February 20, 1954 Final Edition of "The Philadelphia Inquirer" a Philadelphia daily newspaper, on page one, column four, appeared an article

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captioned "Five Teachers Suspended for Balking Probers." The article contained information that the subject, a first grade teacher at the Stokley School, 32nd and Berks Streets, Philadelphia, who refused to answer questions concerning alleged Communist affiliations before a House Committee on Un-American Activities, was suspended from employment by the Philadelphia School Board on February 19, 1954, by Dr. LOUIS P. HOYER, Superintendent of Schools, Philadelphia, Pa.

Testimony Before HCUA

DELPHIA AUGENBLICK appeared before the House Committee on Un-American Activities in an open hearing on February 16, 1954, in Washington, D.C.

She refused to answer all questions asked her concerning whether she was or ever had been a member of the Communist Party, and/or her activities in the Communist Party, on the grounds of the Fifth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States.

The above testimony appears on pages 3901 to 3904 of the report of the "Committee on Un-American Activities, House of Representatives, Eighty-Third Congress, Second Session, on February 16, 1954."

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Will determine present employment of the subject.

Reference

Report of SA WALTER J. SHERIDAN at Philadelphia dated
February 12, 1954.

SAC (100-31535)

7/12/54

SA J. ROBERT PEARCE

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INTERNAL SECURITY - C

On 5/26/54, the writer contacted Mrs. MARION LINKE, 905 Clinton Street, relative to an applicant investigation (RAE ZIEGERMAN - PH file 77-7471). As the agent was about to depart, Mrs. LINKE stated that the agent could have the attached issue of "Let Freedom Ring", stating that it was addressed to a former tenant, JAN WEYL, 905 Clinton Street, who had married and no longer lived there.

The copy of "Let Freedom Ring" is Number 11, and is dated May 1954. It is published by the CRC, Philadelphia, Pa. It has information relative to the Smith Act Trial now in progress and other matters. *See Exhibit 100-31535-1B-102(17)*

Mrs. LINKE and her husband, CONRAD, are the subjects of Philadelphia file 100-8197, Security Matter (G). Mrs. LINKE related to the writer that she had been "pro LINDBERGH" prior to World War II, in that she did not think it wise for the United States to enter the war. She said that she felt that it was her duty to furnish any information to the FBI. In this connection, it is to be noted that LINKE related that DELPHIA AUGENBLICK (100-20590*) and her sister, LEONORA JACOBS, formerly resided at her address and at 903 Clinton Street, also owned by the LINKES. LINKE, in addition, volunteered that she and her husband, an artist, were formerly members of an art group organized by a Mr. ROY GROSSMAN (100-33157*), whose wife was instrumental in the organization of a teachers union in Philadelphia. She believed all of these individuals to be CP members and could possibly furnish additional information relative to them. She pointed out that she had withdrawn from the above-mentioned art group when its purpose became known to her and her husband. She recalled that this was about 1934. She

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cc: ~~100-20590*~~ (DELPHIA AUGENBLICK)
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100-8197 (MRS. CONRAD J. LINKE)
100-19463 (ROY GROSSMAN)
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said that AUGENBLICK and JACOBS were teachers of the Philadelphia School System, who balked at answering questions before the House Committee on Un-American Activities, and had recently been suspended from their jobs.

LINKE said she would be glad to talk to the agents.

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SAC (100-1502-711)

8/23/54

SA WALTER J. SHERIDAN

CP, EPD, PROFESSIONAL SECTION
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On 8/14/54, [redacted]
[redacted] a confidential source of known reliability, orally furnished the writer the following information which supplements information previously furnished by the source on 11/12/53 as contained in the writer's memo captioned as above of 12/11/53.

[redacted]
[redacted] the following individuals, in addition to those previously mentioned by the source, were members of this branch:

JEAN GALLANT
LENORE JACOBS
OLGA WALLACK
PAUL ZARET

The source recalled the meetings of this group were sometimes held at the residences of DELPHIA AUGENBLICK and LEON KAPPLEMAN.

Regarding KAPPLEMAN, the source said that she recently heard that KAPPLEMAN is presently in Mexico where he went several years ago because of his health and is leading the life of a "beachcomber."

The source said that GENIEVE FOX sometimes visited the meetings of the "In Town" Branch to discuss current CP policy and to urge the group to engage more in the study of Marxism-Leninism. The source also recalled that OTTIE HELLER also visited the group on one occasion to give a lecture concerning the Civil War and to assign readings to the group from an unrecalled book regarding the Civil War.

Regarding LENORE JACOBS, the source said that she could not recall actually having seen JACOBS at any of the meetings but it was her understanding that JACOBS was a member of the branch.

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CC: 100-20590 (DELPHIA AUGENBLICK) (100-4051 (OTTIE HELLER)
100-4965 (GENIEVE FOX) 100-24693 (LENORE JACOBS)
100-30697 (JEAN GALLANT) 100-30153 (LEON KAPPLEMAN)
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TITLE <p style="text-align: center;">DELPHIA AUGENBLICK</p>			CHARACTER OF CASE <p style="text-align: center;">SECURITY MATTER - C</p>

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Confidential informants advised that the subject resides at 3425 Powelton Avenue, Philadelphia, and is presently employed at "The Casual Shop," 118 South 20th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.; between 1940 and 1944 meetings of the "In Town" Branch of the Professional Section, CP, EPD, were sometimes held at the subject's residence.

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DETAILS:

Employment

A confidential informant, who is believed to be reliable, advised that the subject is employed at "The Casual Shop," 118 South 20th Street, Philadelphia, Pa. The informant advised that the subject also receives \$187.00 per month retirement pay as a retired school teacher.

(T-1, 11/2/54)

Residence

Informant advised that AUGENBLICK presently resides at 1919 Spruce Street, Philadelphia; however, is planning to move during the week of

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November 1, 1954, to another residence. The informant was not aware of the location of the residence to which the subject is moving.

(T-1, 11/2/54)

On November 8, 1954, informant stated that on November 5, 1954, the subject moved to 3425 Powelton Avenue, Philadelphia.

(T-2, 11/8/54)

CONNECTIONS WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY

Activities

A reliable confidential informant advised that between 1940 and 1944 meetings of the "In Town" Branch of the Professional Section of the Communist Party, Eastern Pennsylvania and Delaware, were sometimes held at the subject's residence.

(T-3, 8/14/54)

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As previously set out in report form, the subject was interviewed by Bureau Agents on 6/19/54, at which time she furnished no information concerning the CP or her affiliations with same. No information has been developed indicating CP activity on the part of the subject since 1945.

In view of the above, authority is not being requested to reinterview the subject, and no recommendation is being made to place her name on the Security Index.

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T-3 [REDACTED]	CP meetings at subject's residence	8/14/54	WALTER J. SHERIDAN (oral)	100-20590-53

REFERENCE: Report of SA HAROLD K. PARSON dated 8/30/54 at Philadelphia.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

- UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC (100-20590)

FROM : SE ROBERT J. YARNALL

SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBELICK
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DATE: 3-21-55

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On 10/25/54, [redacted] made available to SAs WILLIAM S. BETTS and EDWARD M. COLE numerous circulars which were addressed to persons who, according to [redacted] were listed in the Progressive Party Headquarters under the caption, "Secondary Leadership List." These circulars were photographed by SAs BETTS and COLE on 10/25/54, and the photographs together with the film can be located in 100-33508-1B-54.

A complete list of names appearing on the circulars can be located in 100-33508- 5044, pg. 24.

The subject's name appeared on the circulars as follows:

DELPHIA AUGENBELICK
2020 Walnut St.
Phila., Pa.

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TO : SAC (100-20590)

FROM : SA WILLIAM F. MC LAUGHLIN

SUBJECT: DELPHIA AUGENBLICK
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DATE: 11/14/57

Re SAC Letter 56-34.

DELPHIA AUGENBLOCK resides at 2116 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, and is occupied as a Saleswoman with the Casual Shop, 118 South 20th Street, Philadelphia, Pa. Subject has been reported as a member of the CP in 1943 and in 1944 and 1945 was reportedly a member of the Professional Section, CPA, in Philadelphia. During 1947 and 1948, she was on the mailing list of a number of front organizations and in 1948 was active in the Progressive Party. Subject, in testimony before the HCUA on 2/16/54, refused to answer questions concerning her CP activities and invoked the Fifth Amendment. During 1954, she was, among others, maintained on a Progressive Party Secondary Leadership List. She was interviewed by Bureau Agents on 6/19/52, was friendly in manner, but declined to discuss the CP or its activities. She has not been on the Security Index.

SAC authority is requested to contact the subject to determine her attitude and suitability as a source of security-type information.

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SA WILLIAM F. McLAUGHLIN

LEONORA JACOBS
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Re SAC Let 56-34.

LEONORA JACOBS, 2116 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., was contacted in the vicinity of her employment, the Casual Shop, 118 South 20th Street, Philadelphia, on 11/19/57 by SAs WALKER WHITE, Jr. and WILLIAM F. McLAUGHLIN.

Mrs. JACOBS was asked for her cooperation and was specifically questioned as to whether she had recently been contacted by the Communist Party. Mrs. JACOBS replied that she had not been contacted by the CP and that she did not have any information concerning it. She advised in the negative when asked if she, herself, had ever been associated with the Communist movement. Mrs. JACOBS was asked if her sister, DELPHIA AUGENBLICK, who resides with her, had mentioned that she had been recently contacted by the CP. Mrs. JACOBS stated that her sister had not been so contacted. Mrs. JACOBS manifested a cold, unfriendly manner and was uncooperative in attitude.

In view of her attitude and since she resides with her sister, it is not felt that a contact with Miss AUGENBLICK would be productive. Accordingly, the cases of both LEONORA JACOBS and DELPHIA AUGENBLICK are being closed as neither is considered suitable as a source of security type information.

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